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GERMANY'S MILITARY STRENGTH DECREASES

Shows Clear Decline for First Time Since War Began

French Statement Asserts Germans Have Made Their Supreme Military Effort—Still Has Great Powers of Resistance Which Will Be Hard to Break.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Germany's military strength now shows clear decrease for the first time since the war began, according to a review based upon data of the French general staff made public here tonight by the French high commission.

Worn down and driven back by the never ending pounding of the allies on the German front, the statement says the Germans have made their supreme military effort after having drawn heavily upon their inactive armies in the east and calling out their 1918 and part of the 1919 reserves. Thus while the allies have reached and are prepared to maintain their full strength while awaiting the coming of the American army, the enemy's resources are diminishing at the very moment when the military situation demands that they increase.

"This shows," concludes the statement, "the decisive character attending the operations in 1918, when three great democracies, England, France and America will unite their strength in attacking the enemy in conformity with the only sound principle of war."

The Commission's Statement

The commission's statement issued thru the committee on public information, says in part:

"Both Franco-German fronts on the Aisne, 1917 and Verdun, 1916, have already been compared and it has been noted that they are practically of the same length. It has been stated that the German forces occupying them before the attack were equally comparable: 12 and 14 divisions. It is known today that during the same period, from May to September, the Germans engaged 25 French divisions at Verdun, and that they have been obliged to engage 45 on the Aisne. Furthermore, during an equal period the French took 5,863 prisoners at Verdun and 8,853 on the Aisne.

"This comparison included only a small sector of the French front. But it showed a very interesting result due to the increase of the material forces of the allies and the improved French fighting methods since adopted by the other armies, and also testified by the German staff itself, apropos of the battle of the Somme, in explaining their defeat: 'To the perfect use of technical methods.'"

"If the above comparison is extended today to the entire Franco-English front, if you consider that from April 15th to June 15th the enemy engaged 108 divisions against the Anglo-French forces, and finally, if one bears in mind that the successes of the British offensive at Ypres, obliged the enemy to engage 15 divisions during the last ten days you can understand why the German losses on the western front grow heavier and heavier. (They admit the loss of 116,000 men during the month of May, 14,000 men are estimated by the allied staff during the month of June, etc.)

"This is because the fighting on the western front, as a matter of fact, practically never ceases.

"This constant activity coinciding with the weakness and inaction of the Russians also explains why the Germans are obliged to maintain and succeed in factually maintaining, three times larger forces on the Russian front than on the Russian front. It is known that the Russians winter practically puts a stop to all active operations, and that the reaction of the internal events in Russia on the eastern front has allowed Germany to consider it during four months as a veritable reserve for the western front.

"All the measures they have taken have been defensive in character intended to strengthen their resistance in the face of Anglo-French forces. Not content with declining to give battle and withdrawing a portion of their western front on the Hindenburg position they have transported to the western front between January and April, a certain number of divisions drawn from the eastern front. As this did not suffice they have drawn the picked men from each front, and with the assistance of the class of 1918 have formed 27 new divisions, 26 of which have appeared in France. Germany has made her supreme military effort but she has still great powers of resistance which will take all the allied forces to break. Her resources are diminishing at the very moment when the military situation requires that they should increase.

"On the other hand, British and French armies have reached their full strength in men and material and are capable, with help of America of maintaining the enormous strength which they have gained to the end of the war. To this strength will be added the great American army, which will arrive as quickly as possible as three years of war have demonstrated the value of time and the advantage of each day gained."

CHICAGO POLICE CAPTAIN SUSPENDED

Chicago, Oct. 9.—Captain Bernard Baer, of the Warren avenue police station was suspended and stripped of his star today as a result of the disappearance of an aged walnut table and cupboard that had been in use in a station in which he formerly was in command.

Telegraph Notes

London, Oct. 10.—The Daily Telegraph says it learns that the Sultan of Egypt died at noon Tuesday.

New York, Oct. 9.—Subscriptions from the New York federal reserve district to the second liberty loan were increased today to \$250,840,600.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 9.—Mayor Woodruff welcomed the delegates to the fifty-first annual convocation of the Prince Hall, F. & A. M. tonight. The response was made by Grand Master Alexander Martin.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Liberty bond sales in the chief financial sections of the country have fallen below the daily average which should be maintained to reach the \$3,000,000,000 minimum set by Secretary McAdoo.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, Oct. 9.—Fire today did damage estimated at \$1,000,000 in the principal section of the city. The buildings burned included the magnificent government palace and a number of the city's most important stores.

Paris, Oct. 9.—The capture of the villages of St. Jean de Mangelare and Veldhoek, with numerous block houses is reported in the French official communication of tonight dealing with the operations Tuesday in Flanders.

Rockford, Ill., Oct. 9.—The liberty loan campaign was renewed in Camp Grant today with the installment of a "liberty loan clock" and speeches by commanders of every regiment urging the men to purchase bonds. Boxing is a daily feature of the camp routine.

Buenos Aires, Oct. 9.—Coincident with the American demand for Argentine dry hides to meet military orders and renewed British buying as a result of the lifting of the leather embargo, the Germans here are buying heavily and their competition in the market is helping to increase the prices.

Copenhagen, Oct. 9.—Vice-admiral Von Capelle, German minister of marine, announced in the Reichstag today that a plot had been discovered in the navy to form a committee of delegates on the Russian model and to paralyze the fleet so as to force the government to make peace.

The guilty parties have been arrested and have received their just deserts, the minister added.

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 9.—Joseph Wakelin, of Melrose and his wife Sarah, on trial for manslaughter on account of the death of their little daughter, Loreta, denied on the witness stand today that they had anything to do with the killing of the child. Both asserted their love for her and told of their horror when they learned that she had been strangled to death in the woods while on her way to school.

An Atlantic Port, Oct. 9.—The master of an Italian steamer which arrived here today reported that when with three other steamers on Sept. 17, they were attacked in the Mediterranean by three enemy submarines, the submarines were driven off with probably the loss of one, the captain said, a shot having pierced the coning tower of one of the enemy boats. He said a number of torpedoes discharged at the merchant ships went wide of their mark.

SURPLUS COTTON TO BE SHIPPED ALLEGES

Washington, Oct. 9.—Stopping of cotton shipments to northern Europe neutrals has caused such a surplus in this country that the administrative board decided to permit for an indefinite period the exportation of raw cotton to the allies without licenses. When the licensing of exports becomes effective Sept. 7, last the board permitted the exportation of cotton to the allies without permits until Oct. 3, next. It was explained that there now is ample cotton in the United States to supply the nation's needs including the increased amount of cotton needed in the army and navy and still leave a great amount for shipment to the United Kingdom, France, Italy, Japan and Russia.

INTERNED ALIEN ENEMIES ESCAPE

Laredo, Tex., Oct. 9.—Five interned alien enemies, four Austrians and one German escaped about 2 o'clock Sunday morning by means of a duplicate key from the guardhouse at Fort McIntosh, where they had been interned since August 15, it became known today.

The body of Hans Frolich, one of the escaped prisoners was found in the Rio Grande this morning, badly decomposed. Three of the remaining men were captured on the Mexican side of the river. The fifth is still missing but is believed to have drowned in attempting to cross the swollen river.

AMERICANS WOUNDED BY GERMAN SHELL

Paris, Oct. 9.—Robert Lamon of Evanston, Ill., and Henry Thompson of Greenville, Del., members of the munitions transport section of the American field service were wounded on Sunday by a German shell. It is reported their injuries are not serious.

FIRST SNOW STORM VISITS WINONA, MINN.

Winona, Minn., Oct. 9.—The first snow storm of the season visited Winona today, following a cold winter morning.

N'ADDOO ADDRESSES NATIONAL ARMY MEN

Speaks to Soldiers at Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash.

Urges Men to Take Advantage of Government Insurance Provisions of Soldiers and Sailors Bill Just Passed.

Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wn., Oct. 8.—William McAdoo, secretary of the treasury carried a message from the government of the United States to 20,000 men of the National Army at Camp Lewis today. Mr. McAdoo said:

"Arrangements have been made with the banks to loan money to men with which to buy bonds. We are not asking you to buy bonds, but are advising those of you who can, to provide for your future welfare. I wish to call your attention to the soldiers' and sailors' insurance bill, which congress has just passed by unanimous vote. This measure was approved by the president and I had the honor to present it to congress. 'The measure,' he said, 'provides that dependent wives and children shall not be dependent on the charity of the people of their community or relatives. Under this act every married soldier or sailor is obliged to set aside one half of his pay which in the case of a private amounts to \$15 a month, and the government will give the wife an additional \$15. In families where there are two children, for instance, it amounts to \$32.50.

"Never has there been such a humanitarian or just measure passed by a legislative body," Mr. McAdoo said. "In case of death the government will provide for the wife so long as she remains unmarried and her children until they reach the age of 18. Men disabled will receive pay for life. The government is taking the most advanced step for the benefit of soldiers in the history of the world.

"When you men were called into service no insurance company in the world would insure you at less than a prohibitive rate. So your country decided to insure you. All men who want to take out insurance must make applications within four months, after entering the army. You must take out from \$1,000 to \$10,000 and your premiums will run from \$6.50 to \$8 a thousand. The government wants every man here to take out \$10,000 for those he loves."

NAVAL PROGRAM INCLUDES ALL TYPES

Construction of 787 Vessels Is Under Way—Some Already Completed and in Service.

Washington, Oct. 9.—The American navy's war construction program consists of 787 vessels including all types from superdreadnaughts to submarine chasers.

In making this announcement today, Secretary Daniels said some of the vessels have been completed within the past few weeks and are now in service and that the remainder of the program is being rushed. The total cost is estimated at \$1,150,400,000.

Many of the vessels are destroyers and arrangements have been made for carrying out the \$350,000,000 supplemental destroyer program which the navy expects to be completed in eighteen months.

Secretary Daniels said he expected the first of the new destroyers to be launched and commanded within nine months. They will be of the latest, largest and most improved type, which have just been tried by the American navy, he said, and found to be unsurpassed by any destroyers in the world.

"Thousands of men will be required to man these destroyers," the secretary's statement said, "and we are now busy training them. By the time the vessels are completed, the crews will be ready."

GERMAN AGENTS BUSY IN IOWA

Charles City, Ia., Oct. 9.—The Hart Parr company at whose factories here many of the parts of the English tanks and much of the appliances of the new government wooden ships are built suffered loss by fire tonight, largest and most improved type, which have just been tried by the American navy, he said, and found to be unsurpassed by any destroyers in the world.

The forging and boring department of the shell shop was destroyed. The tank shop work will not be interrupted nor will the fire cause any interference with the departments in which shells for the allies have been constructed. The department was able to confine the flames to the one building. The cause of the fire was unknown.

COMMISSIONS TO BE AWARDED 650 NEGROES

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 9.—Commissions will be awarded to approximately 650 negro candidates at the Fort Des Moines Officers' Training camp either tonight or tomorrow. Col. W. T. Johnson detailed from the adjutant general office in Washington, arrived here today to present the commissions. The 150 negroes that failed to win commissions will be sent to their homes immediately. Colonel Johnson said and immediately relieved of all military duties.

MINISTER MARRIES AT CLOSE OF CONFERENCE

Belvidere, Ill., Oct. 9.—Dr. William H. Pierce, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church of Chicago and Miss Edith S. Alpin, of Almond, Wis., were married at the close of the Rock River conference today. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Thomas Nicholson. Dr. Pierce has served in Belvidere, Freeport, and other Illinois cities.

WORLD'S SERIES GAME

will be received today by the Journal. The game will be received by play over the Journal's Associated Press leased wire, direct from the ball park.

READJUSTMENT OF FORCES NECESSARY

New Plan Adds Division to National Army Organization

Shortage of Men in Guard Divisions and Decision to Form Division of Negro Troops Makes Changes Imperative.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Orders issued today to commanders of national army cantonments disclose for the first time the war department's complete plans for the training and organization of the first half million of the national army.

Shortage of men in the three national guard divisions in the south, the 30th, 31st and 49th, coupled with a decision to form a new national army division of negro troops has made necessary a readjustment of the forces at fifteen of the sixteen cantonments. The geographical complexion of three national army divisions will be changed entirely as a result.

The new plan adds a division to the national army organization making 17 divisions in that force to supplement the seventeen national guard divisions. The negro division probably will be designated as the 92nd division national army. It will be mobilized as a division only when ordered to France for duty. The force will be the largest fighting unit of negro troops in the army and the majority of its officers will come from the negro officers training camp at Des Moines, Iowa.

The division will take in nearly 30,000 of the 83,000 negroes registered under the draft law. There will be organized in addition, however, service units for work behind the lines. Orders were published today authorizing twenty four of these to be raised by voluntary transfer of drafted men or voluntary enlistment from civil life. It has been stated that 250,000 men must be sent abroad for this purpose.

Supplementing General Bliss' explanation the department issued a summary of orders governing the allotment of quotas of negro drafted men to the cantonments. With the exception of Camps Jackson, Gordon, Pike and Travis, each cantonment will accommodate all of the negro quotas from the states from which its white troops are drawn.

MURDER THEORY IS STRENGTHENED

Death of Peoria Millionaire Will Be Thoroughly Investigated.

Peoria, Ill., Oct. 9.—The Barker family is laying great stress on the testimony of Miss Anna and Emma Martin, school teachers, to strengthen their theory that Jesse Barker, dead millionaire, was murdered instead of committing suicide. Mrs. Josephine Mitchell, colored maid, today testified before the coroner that she did not hear the shot that took Mr. Barker's life all the time. Later today it was found that the Misses Martin, residing in the house next west and distant five hundred Sunday afternoon. They are expected to testify tomorrow.

W. G. McRoberts, attorney and cousin of deceased, told the jury today that the family was satisfied that Barker was murdered. The position of the body, lack of powder burns and the fact that no mark was found on the bath room walls where the bullet struck carried out this contention.

Mrs. Walter Barker, mother of Jesse, it is said tonight is positive her son was murdered and that she proposed a searching investigation until all the facts are brought out. The funeral of Barker this afternoon, was private only a few close friends attending. Rev. B. G. Carpenter, Universalist church officiated. A conference of interested parties has been called for tomorrow to search for a will it is intimated Barker left. It is said that this may clarify the situation regarding property rights and custody of the baby.

Mrs. Barker, the widow did not attend the funeral today and has yet made no demand for the baby which is in the custody of Mrs. Walter Barker. A fight for the custody of the child seems probable, the neither side will make a positive statement in advance of the conference tomorrow.

NO SPECULATION IN COTTON SEED OIL

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Speculation in cotton-seed oil both by trade and outside interests on the New York Produce Exchange was forbidden today by the board of managers of the Exchange at the instance of the food administration at Washington.

U. S. MAKES FURTHER LOANS TO ALLIES

Washington, Oct. 9.—General loans of \$40,000,000 each to Great Britain and France were made today by the government. With this transaction, the total thus far loaned to the allies is \$2,613,400,000.

TESTIMONY TAKEN AT PIERSOL TRIAL

Defendant Charged with Kidnapping Baby Keets

Mother and Father of Dead Baby Identify the Clothing Which Was Wrapped Around Babe When It Was Found in Cistern.

Marshfield, Mo., Oct. 9.—Rapid progress was made here today in the trial of Claude J. Piersol, charged with the kidnapping of Baby Lloyd Keet of Springfield, Mo. After the prosecutor's opening statement, Miss Ida McCannon and Jessie Haig, nurse and cook respectively at the Keet home, testified as to the disappearance of the baby. Mr. and Mrs. J. Holland Keet, identified the clothing which was wrapped around the baby when it was found in a cistern in the deserted Crenshaw farm several days after the body of the baby was stolen on the night of May 30.

During the exhibition of the articles, Mrs. Keet became very nervous and only the ending of her examination prevented a collapse.

Richard Crenshaw, a witness for the state, probably furnished the most sensational testimony when he described a peculiar well-like hole in the Crenshaw house, caused by the construction of a circular staircase. He testified that after the Keet baby was found two pieces of cloth, thought to be part of the baby's clothing, were fished out of the bottom of this hole.

He further testified that he had seen a group of men in the yard of his place one night February, 1917 and that he thought one of them was Piersol, altho he could not be certain.

Another interesting bit of testimony brought out by Crenshaw was that the electric sign on the dry-goods store which was used as a signal that Keet had started with the ransom money the night after the baby was stolen could be seen from the roof of the Crenshaw mansion.

ASKED TO FORM WAR SERVICE COMMITTEES

U. S. Chamber of Commerce Issues General Call to American Business Men.

Washington, Oct. 9.—A general call on American business men to form war service committees in every branch of industry to co-operate with the government was made today by the chamber of commerce of the United States. The committees will absorb the functions of the industries committees of the council of National Defense which will be abolished under a re-organization plan. The war service committees will deal directly with the defense council's war industry board now negotiating government war purchases. They will assist in apportioning government orders and will aid in determining priority matters. The defense council's industry committee in most instances are expected to be retained as the war service committees and the only change will be that members no longer will be connected in any way with the government. The defense council's committee system has given cause for criticism in the committee members acting as government advisers in making purchases were often themselves sellers. Under the new arrangement the war service committee members will be representing only industries.

MEDIUM PRODUCTION OF BEET SUGAR NEXT YEAR

Washington, Oct. 9.—Utah beet sugar producers promised the food administration today to exert themselves in an effort to obtain a medium production of beet next year.

"All differences between sugar refiners and farmers have been forgotten," they telegraphed Herbert Hoover, the food administrator, "and a contract in a profit sharing basis has been agreed upon."

TO PRODUCE MORE SULPHURIC ACID

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 9.—Increase in the production of sulphuric acid to the extent of two million tons a year, was set forth as a war service goal of the American Institute of Mining Engineers at today's session of the annual convention, the acid being a requisite in the manufacture of ammunition. The production of sulphuric acid could be increased, it was pointed out, by a greater production of pyrites.

HOMESICKNESS RARE IN FRENCH CAMPS

Washington, Oct. 9.—Home sickness has become rare in the American army camps in France, Ambassador Sharp has reported to the state department. Outdoor life, plenty of exercise and familiarity with the new surroundings have improved the health and spirits of the men, he reported.

\$50 LIBERTY BONDS FOR EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS

Chillicothe, O., Oct. 9.—Each boy and girl who successfully finishes eighth grade work in Chillicothe public or parochial schools this school year will get a \$50 liberty bond next spring, the gift of Col. Richard Enderlin, wealthy shoe manufacturer and coal operator of Chillicothe and a veteran of the Civil War.

War News Summarized

The big fight is on again in Flanders and the Germans are being hammered hard. Field Marshal Haig is battering away on the sector east and northeast of Ypres, while French troops have joined with the British left wing to the south of Dixmude in an endeavor to bring that section of the line even with the sharp wedge that has been driven into the German front by Haig east of Broodseinde.

Launching their attacks simultaneously Tuesday morning both armies had made considerable gains before nightfall in addition to inflicting heavy casualties on the Germans and taking many prisoners.

Prior to the announcement of the commencement of the attack there had been no intimation that the Frenchmen were ready for an advance. With apparent ease the Frenchmen crossed the Broenbeke and Jansbe rivers and captured the villages of St. Jean de Mangelare and Veldhoek together with numerous block houses and took prisoner several hundred Germans. The advance of the French front was over a front of more than a mile and a half and they penetrated the German line to a depth of one and a quarter miles.

At several points Haig's advance was sharply contested by the Germans. Nowhere however, were the Germans able to stay the advance except near the Polderhoek Chateau where the British were forced momentarily to give ground. Later, the attacking troops renewed themselves and the successful push went on.

Aside from Flanders, the operations in all the various theaters of the war are of a minor character. There is still considerable infantry and artillery activity between the Russians and Germans in the Riga sector of the Russian front, but neither side has made any attempt at an advance. Reciprocal bombardments are in progress between the Italians and Austrians on the Austro-Italian front. Another Austro-German peace offer which is to be based on the principles of no territorial aggrandizement, the surrender of Belgian and French territory, the renunciation of territorial acquisitions for money payments and no indemnity by either side is soon to be put forward, according to a prominent Berlin newspaper.

SEGREGATED DISTRICT WILL BE ABOLISHED

New Orleans Commission Adopts New Ordinance—750 Women to Be Deported.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 9.—New Orleans' segregated district, one of the largest and most notorious in the country, will be abolished within thirty days under an ordinance adopted today by the city commission. The action was taken at the request of Secretary of the Navy Daniels and the new law repeals one passed twenty-five years ago by the council, legalizing the district.

City authorities, public welfare organizations and ministers immediately will undertake to devise plans for deportation of the 750 women of the district before the law becomes operative.

FOUR SONS FROM ONE FAMILY ENOUGH

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 9.—Governor Edge today took action to have taken from service of the National Army, Paul Masterson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. James Masterson of Lambertville, whose four other sons already had volunteered. I feel that the sacrifice you have been called to make is too great," the governor wrote to the parents, "consequently I have directed the adjutant-general to confer with the local exemption board with the view to having your son Paul exempted."

ARRESTED AND INTERNED AS ALIEN ENEMIES

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 9.—On orders issued by federal district Attorney Thomas Allen, Paul Luebke and Edward Martin, of Norfolk and Blair, Nebraska, respectively, have been arrested and ordered interned as alien enemies. Both are alleged to have committed acts of disloyalty using violent language in denunciation of the United States government.

PRESENT ERA ONE OF "EXTRAVAGANT WAGES"

Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 9.—Good wages were paid in this city before the war; high wages were the rule after hostilities broke out; now "an era of extravagant wages seem to have set in" according to C. E. Bilton, president of the Manufacturers' Association. Workmen in factories here, he said, are getting \$50 a week in a large proportion of cases, while \$70 and up is not uncommon.

INDEPENDENT MEN SEE CHEAPER GASOLINE

Chicago, Oct. 9.—A vision of more gasoline and possibly lower prices was sent in the belief generally expressed today at the opening of the ninth general convention of the Independent Oil Men's association of America, that the Standard Oil company would release its patents on refining oil from lower grades for gasoline purposes.

MINES IN OPERATION

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 9.—Reports received from all points in the recently affected coal strike district of southeastern Kentucky and north-eastern Tennessee indicate that with one exception, all of the mines were in full operation today.

GOVERNMENT WILL CONTROL STAPLE FOODS

"To Protect the Patriot Against Slacker in Business"

Manufacturers and Distributors of Fundamental Foods Will Be Required to Operate Under License Restrictions.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Virtually all the staple foods consumed by the American people will be put under government control Nov. 1. The food administration announced tonight that within a few days President Wilson will issue an executive order requiring that manufacturers and distributors of some twenty fundamental foods operate under license restrictions designed to prevent unreasonable profits and to stop speculation and hoarding.

Regulations will be prescribed for meat packers, cold storage houses, millers, canners, elevators, grain dealers and wholesale dealers and retailers doing a business of more than \$100,000 annually in the commodities to be named.

"The prime purpose of the food administration," the announcement said, "is to protect the patriot against the slacker in business. It has been generally recognized that enormous obligations imposed on the American people to feed our soldiers at the front and the allies creates a disturbing factor in trade which allows opportunity to a few to impose burdens upon the many and that it is of vital national importance that such control should be exerted as will remedy so far as may be the economic disturbance incident to the war."

Issuance of the president's proclamation has been delayed the announcement said that the food administration might complete conferences with representatives of trades and producers and consumers. Already about 200 conferences have been held at which were planned regulations and constructive methods of control.

"It has been the desire of the food administration," the announcement continued, "to secure the cooperation of all patriotic men in the various trades so as to eliminate speculation, hoarding, unreasonable profits, wasteful practices, etc. in the great distribution system of the country."

TO BEGIN TESTIMONY AT BELLEVILLE TODAY

Men Accused of Negro's Murder Claim to Be More Sightseers.

Belleville, Ill., Oct. 9.—After more than 100 veniremen had been examined a jury was obtained tonight in the circuit court here to try Herbert Wood and Lee Keane, charged with the murder of Scott Clark, a negro, during the race riots in East St. Louis, July 2 last.

The opening statement of the attorney will be made tomorrow morning and the taking of testimony is expected to begin before noon. It is expected that the case will be completed by Thursday night.

Colonel Clayton, probably will be placed on the stand by the state tomorrow morning. He has received orders to report at Fort Sam Houston at once and attorneys will try to finish with his testimony as soon as possible.

Fifteen members of Company B, Fourth Illinois Infantry also will be witnesses for the state. It is understood that the claim of the two defendants who were arrested by the troops, will be that they were merely sightseers and took no part in the rioting.

CARRANZA REGIME FIRMLY ESTABLISHED

Chicago, Oct. 9.—Reports of a bright outlook for the permanency of the Carranza government in Mexico were brought here today by General Alvaro Obregon of Mexico who arrived on his way to Washington. He is accompanied by Major Harvey W. Miller, U. S. A., who met him at the border and will go with him to Washington.

"Conditions in Mexico are very good," General Obregon said. "There are some desultory efforts to harass the government in power but the Carranza regime is firmly established and I expect to see General Carranza remain president for a number of years."

REPORT OF WEEK'S BRITISH CASUALTIES

London, Oct. 9.—British casualties reported during the week ending today totaled 17,605. The losses were divided as follows: Officers killed or died of wounds 311 Men 2,951 Officers wounded or missing 862 Men 13,367

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Illinois: Partly cloudy and continued cold Wednesday; Thursday fair and warmer.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded for Tuesday were:			
Jacksonville	50	54	26
Boston	42	50	44
Buffalo	40	44	36
New York	42	50	44
New Orleans	68	68	52
Chicago	42	48	38
Detroit	44	54	38
Omaha	56	66	44
Minneapolis	46	40	26
Helena	63	78	42
San Francisco	56	60	52
Winnipeg	38	50	36

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THE SPIRIT OF THE GAME.

Irvin Cobb, famous sports writer,
paid this tribute to the great throng
which assembled in Chicago Sunday
for the world series ball game:

"In all that great host I saw no
man who was drunk. In my hear-
ing not a foul word was uttered and
to my knowledge not a single soul
there present misbehaved himself
or herself."

What a remarkable commentary
on the spirit of American athletics!

THE OKLAHOMA WAY.

It must be the big tax return from
oil wells that makes Oklahoma so
prosperous, but at any rate a state
fair has opened at Muskogee and
admission is free. The state plans
this exhibition largely for advertis-
ing purposes and it is said that
great displays of livestock, machin-
ery, agricultural and horticultural
products have been gathered togeth-
er for the fair. There will be no
trouble about attendance at this fair
for nobody ever heard of a big show
with free admittance where there
were any empty seats.

1918 WAR COSTS TO DECREASE.

Financially at least, it is cheering
to read the statement of Represen-
tative Sherley of Kentucky, who de-
clares that the government's war cost
next year will not be as great as it
is for 1917. Mr. Sherley reinforces
his statement with figures to indi-
cate that the expenses will be less
because billions of dollars will be
spent this year for the purchase and
construction of a merchant fleet.
There is no reason for expecting that
any large portion of this fleet will
be destroyed during the year, and
therefore it is certain that the main-
tenance cost will be nothing like the
original investment.

Other figures presented by the
congressman also go to show the
reasonableness of his view that 1918
war cost will show a gratifying de-
cline.

MITCHELL DRAWS SUPPORT FROM ALL SIDES.

Mention has already been made of
the country wide interest in the New
York mayoralty campaign. This is
due very largely to the fact that
Mayor Mitchell is now accounted the
candidate of Americanism and altho

he was defeated in the primary, is
to receive the support of many of
the strongest men of his party and
evidently a majority of the rank and
file. It is unfortunate, indeed, that
Chicago has a mayor who has not
measured up to the patriotic oppor-
tunity of the times, but it is really
more essential for a country stand-
point that the first city of the land,
occupying as it does, a place on the
seaboard, should have a thorough
loyal executive.

In the opinion of the press one
of the most surprising facts about
the New York situation is that Mayor
Mitchell's Republican opponent altho
he secured a large vote than the
mayor, has been refused the en-
dorsement of the official party or-
ganization. Altogether the chances
for the mayor's success at the polls
seem very favorable as he is re-
ceiving such outspoken support from
some party leaders, and still others
who are not saying much are quietly
giving him their assistance.

NOT WITHOUT HONOR.

It is not the lot of every man in
a city of this size to be so well
known that no name or street ad-
dress are necessary on his mail.
Such, however, seems to be the case
with Dr. A. B. Morey, who yester-
day received a postcard from Dr. J.
R. Newcomb of Indianapolis. Re-
cently Dr. Newcomb was in the city
and took a picture of Dr. Morey,
whom he greatly admired. After his
return to Indianapolis he had the
picture transferred to post cards and
addressed one of them to Jackson-
ville, Ill. A few lines were written
on the reverse side and when the
card reached the Jacksonville post-
office the officials there had no dif-
ficulty in telling for whom the card
was intended, and it was delivered
along with the rest of Dr. Morey's
mail to his Caldwell street address.

But, after all, it is not surprising
that mail intended for Dr. Morey
and with no address reaches its des-
tination, since he has lived in Jack-
sonville so many years and has been
so intimately connected with the
best interests of the city thru that
long period. Dr. Morey in the opin-
ion of his friends (and who is not
his friend?) lives benignly and his
influence for good in this commu-
nity does not grow less potent as the
years pass.

DOCTORS ARE IN DEMAND.

How strangely present conditions
are contrasted with normal times is
indicated in a recent statement from
A. L. Bowen, superintendent of state
charities. It appears that so many
physicians from state institutions have
enlisted for the war that there is
a dearth of doctors needed for the
care of patients. The time was when
applications were numerous and
where the men desiring these posi-
tions brought various influences to
bear in the effort to gain prefer-
ment. Now there are not enough
physicians for these positions, pay-
ing from \$1200 to \$1500 a year and
maintenance. In other words, there
is just the same shortage of workers
for the medical staffs of the state
institutions as there is in other de-
partments of public business and in

private business affairs. Just at
present it is not too much to say
that there are two positions waiting
for every man and woman qualified
for any special work and willing to
do it.

HE TOO IS SERVING. (From Colliers.)

The older who watches the bear-
ing of the big driving wheel, or the
workman who drills rivet holes all
day long in the machine shop, some-
times pauses to say to himself, "Why
can't I be in the thick of it? Why
should other men no more patriotic
than I, in the trenches and near
them, have all the big moments and
the thrills while I go thru the same
meaningless drudgery day after
day?" They may not phrase it thus
but such is the protest in the back
of their heads. They should get rid
of that delusion. For every man
who mixes with his daily stunt the
desire to make it useful in winning
the war is in his way a soldier.
Remember what David tells of the
artisan and his finished hand work:

"Among the two thousand work-
men of the town there was perhaps
not one who had not aided in the
great work according to his skill
and his strength. But they had
worked in isolation, each one by
himself, groping his way.
And now they saw their machine,
standing before them, complete, all
its parts fitted together. And proud
they were of it! In a moment they
stood around it saluting it with joy-
ous laughter and triumphant cries.
They admired it as connoisseurs,
stroked it with their rough hands,
caressed it, talked to it in their own
rude dialect: 'Well, old girl, how
does it go?' The farmers pointed to
the enormous screws of bronze, say-
ing: 'We cast them!' The smiths
replied: 'But it was we who work-
ed the iron, and mixed it with the
drops of our sweat.' And the braz-
ers and riveters, not without justice,
sang the praises of the huge boiler
coated with red lead like a fighting
elephant. It, these boasted of the
metal work itself, the engineers, de-
signers and fitters prided themselves
just as much upon the form the
whole had taken."

Even translation does not kill the
spirit of this, the spirit that Kipling
voiced in "The Ship That Found
Herself"—that the humblest rivet
in the machine is as mighty as the
whole machine. Our workers at
home are the rivets of the machine
in the trenches.

THE LOW MORTALITY RATES IN THIS WAR.

The following information from
the current number of World's Work
refers to an article concerning the
French casualties recently published
by M. Andre Tardieu, the French
High Commissioner to the United
States. His report will bring com-
fort to the mothers and fathers of
American boys at the front. The
fact that, for the last six months of
1916, the casualties numbered only
a little more than one per cent of
those under arms has astounded
most Americans. This period in-
cludes the great Somme offensive,
the fall drive against Verdun and
other great military operations.
casualties those killed, missing or
taken prisoner—evidently not those
wounded—this means that in one
of the hardest fought periods of the
war only about twelve men in a
thousand lost their lives or fell into
the enemies hands. Concerning the
wounded no figures are furnished,
since from 80 to 90 per cent of the
disabled are sufficiently restored to
return to the lines, however, it is
quite apparent that the number of
men seriously and permanently in-
jured is not very large. As to the
sickness that have gathered the
greatest toll in previous wars—
typhoid, dysentery, tetanus—the
chances of getting these diseases at
the front is much less than in the
armies at home. No European or
American town or city has any such
sanitary system as is everywhere en-
forced in France.

The number of killed and disabled
in this war is large, but that is main-
ly because of the great numbers en-
gaged. Proportionably it is small.
The percentage of casualties is by
no means as large as it was in the
last year of the Civil War. The fact
that the engines of destruction are
much more terrible now than fifty
years ago has blinded us to this
fact and we forget that the means of
defense are also incomparably great-
er than in the Civil War. The dan-
gers which our American boys are
to run are great, and call for the

heroic qualities which they possess.
But let us not exaggerate. Accord-
ing to the experience of the French
army only one or two out of each
hundred men mobilized in each six
months will be killed or taken pris-
oner.

Of course the normal mortality
rates, which we have in peace as
well as war, will increase this per-
centage. But these rates will prob-
ably be lower than in the average
American city, not only because of
the excellent medical supervision but
because the men sent represent a
"selected class"—from a physical
standpoint they are the pick of the
population, those who are most able
to withstand disease.

THE MARKET BASKET COVERS INTO ITS OWN.

In these days when the high cost
of commodities has caused much
more earnest search for bargains in
the necessities of life the lowly
market basket has again come into
prominence. The following from the
Meridian, (Conn.) Journal credits
the market basket with being today
the real mark of democracy.
"Permit us to repeat a platitude
Times change. But yesterday no-
body honored a market basket. No
woman who pretended to 'a place in
society' ever dreamed of carrying one.
Even the college girl with socialistic
tendencies failed to recognize the
market basket's existence. And the
immigrant's daughter, after a
month's residence in this country,
saw to it that her little brother, and
not herself went to the corner
grocery when a market basket was
required. But as aforesaid, Times
change. Especially war times. Be-
hold the apotheosis of the market
basket. It now rides triumphantly in
every motor car. It accompanies very
fashionably dressed ladies in to the
street cars, subways and elevated
of the land. It is a symbol of the new
democracy that the market basket
naught be taken soberly. Not alone in
Europe's trenches are the battles for
world democracy to be won. When
ever in a street car you trip over the
market basket of a lady who is nobly
doing her bit, you are reminded
of the first great principles of de-
mocracy, "liberty, equality and
fraternity," also sorority; and you
are convinced that since carrying a
market basket is now the height of
fashion, world democracy is sure-
ly on its way."

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

Blessing In Disguise.

The cost of living still is high,
and men of modest means must cut
out porthouse and pie, and live on
wholesome greens. I used to
freely blow my coin for viands rare
and rich, expensive cuts of tender-
loin, and terrapin and such. But in
such grub I have no share now,
when the noon hour strikes; a horse
might view my bill of fare, and find
the things I like. A cow might
scan the daily spread in this my
humble cot, and sigh, "Right here I
would be fed—such victuals hit
the spot!" I gnaw the luscious ear
of corn, or squash I eat my fill, and
wash them both down with a horn
of cider from the mill. To furnish
me the food I need no creature
spills its blood; I've eaten so much
cattle feed that now I chew my
cud. I'm eating horse feed every
day by day, clean herbs and grain
and chaff, and when I talk I often
neigh, and whinny when I'd laugh.
But, oh, I'm feeling fit and fine!
I've shaken off disease, no rheuma-
tism now is mine, no cramps are in
my knees. We eat too much, our
grub's too rich, when we have coin
to spare; and it's a goodly thing to
ditch the costly bill of fare.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

October 10, 1839 — Alton, Illinois,
Fire destroys business houses and
other property loss \$20,000.
American and Illinois Bible So-
ciety, American Tract Society, Il-
linois Sunday School Union and
Illinois Temperance Society
among those who suffered loss.

FARM NOTES

High Prices for Work in Corn Fields
There is a great demand now for
farm workers and any man who
wants to cut corn can easily find
work at good pay. The prices being
paid for cutting corn run all the
way from 22 to 35¢ per shock, while
the normal price is 12 to 15¢. Where
22¢ a shock is paid the farmer
boards the man and the higher
prices are paid when the crop is
badly down. In the average Morgan
county field this year the corn is
much heavier than usual and in
many of these fields the heavy wind-
storm a few months leveled much of
the corn. This condition, of course,
greatly increases the difficulty of
cutting and gives the men the op-
portunity for making the higher
charges.

Corn shucking has not yet begun
but it is understood that the prices
asked range from 7 to 10¢ per
bushel. At these prices and at the
prices paid for corn cutting, an ex-
perienced worker can readily make
\$6 to \$7 per day if he keeps hard at
the task.

On one Morgan county farm men
started Monday to cut corn at 30¢
a shock. They began in the field
where the corn was lightest on that
farm and yesterday when they began
cutting heavier corn in another
field demanded an additional 5¢
per shock. While it is certain that
farmers this year face a much higher
cost than they ever had before
for gathering their corn crop, it is
true also that fodder and the corn
were never so valuable.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harber and
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Conover have
returned from an extended auto
trip in the northern part of the
state, visiting many points of inter-
est. The trip was made in Mr. Har-
ber's auto.

Social Events

East Side Tuesday Club Met With Miss Ranson.

The East Side Tuesday club held
its regular meeting Tuesday after-
noon with Miss Clara Ranson of 233
Finley street. There was a good at-
tendance and much interest was
manifested in the session. After the
regular business meeting Mrs. Den-
nis Schram read a well prepared pa-
per on, "How the World is Fed." Miss
Jessie Wharton favored the club
with a piano number, "Valse in
E Flat," by Duronde. During the
social hour that followed the host-
ess served refreshments.

Mrs. Henry Strawn Hostess To Strawn's Crossing Club.

Mrs. Henry Strawn was hostess to
the Strawn's Crossing Women's
club Tuesday afternoon at her home
northeast of the city. It was the
regular meeting of the club and
there was a good attendance and a
program of interest was carried out.

Papers were presented by Mrs.
Dimmitt Trotter whose subject was
"Modern Inventions and Their Part
in the Present War." The paper
showed careful preparation and was
heard with close attention. Mrs.
Andrew Harris' subject was "Coun-
try Life—Its Pleasures and Possibil-
ities." Mrs. Harris knew her sub-
ject and the paper proved of great
interest. The members answered roll
call with quotations from Riley.
Miss Pearl Jewsbury of Jackson-
ville and Mrs. William Davenport
and Mrs. Charles Strawn of Alexan-
der were guests of the club. The
next regular meeting will be held
with Mrs. Trotter on Nov. 6. The
open meeting of the club will be
held with Mrs. Charles Cully on
Tuesday, October 23.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR AGED VIRGINIA MAN

Daniel Mitchell Laid to Rest in Wal-
nut Ridge Cemetery — County
Court Finds Finds in Favor of
Petefish, Skiles & Co. Bank.—
Other Virginia Items.

Virginia, Oct. 9.—The local mer-
chants received a carload of peach-
es today from Cincinnati markets
which they are retailing at \$2.50
per bushel.

John Maslin and Edward Camp-
bell received 375 head of stock hogs
Saturday from St. Louis.

Daniel Mitchell, an aged and high-
ly respected citizen, passed away at
the family home Saturday evening
after a lingering illness from
Bright's Disease.

Deceased was born in Ottawa, Ill.,
Aug. 21, 1841. He came to the
county in early boyhood where he
took up the carpenter's trade which
he followed all his life. He was
united in marriage June 1st, 1871 to
Miss Harriet Hickox, who with the
following sisters and brothers sur-
vive: Mrs. Sam'l Carpenter, Mrs.
J. W. Benson of Springfield, Mrs. J.
S. Kikendal of Red Oak, Ia.; Mrs. H.
H. Berry of McCook, Neb.; and Chas.
Mitchell of Halstead, Kansas.

Funeral services in charge of Rev.
C. E. Juxinal were held Monday at 2
o'clock at the M. E. church. Inter-
ment in Walnut Ridge Cemetery.

The Cass county printing tangle
was ended Monday when the county
court awarded the Petefish, Skiles &
Co. bank \$1,100, or \$556, less than
the amount asked for in the suit. It
will be remembered that the money
was advanced to L. O. Skiles by the
bank on printing contracts and was
refused payment by the county board
on the grounds that the printing had
not been ordered and that signatures
were falsely obtained.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Scovill left Sat-
urday for their new home in Sulli-
van, Ill.

Mesdames Ross Kirkpatrick and
Russell Staley completed a visit with
relatives in this city and in Chand-
lerville and departed for their homes
in Waterman, Ill., Saturday.

Misses Nelle and Kathryn Irvine
were Saturday Springfield shoppers.
Alfred Shaffer and daughter Miss
Nelle were week end guests of
Jacksonville relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns who have
spent the past two weeks in this
city in the interest of the Knights
and Ladies of Security lodge de-
parted for Kewanee, Ill., Saturday.

Miss Dolores Decker was a week
end guest of her friend, Miss Carolyn
Smith, in Jacksonville.

Miss Carolyn Carr of Hickory left
for Springfield Saturday where she
will enter the Springfield Hospital
for a nurses' training course.

Miss Emma Maslin and Kathryn
Drinkwater were Sunday guests of
their school friend, Miss Blanch Tay-
lor, at Hickory.

Among the local people confined to
their homes by illness are Messrs.
Wm. Gordley, E. J. Huff, Mrs. Chas.
Thompson, Miss Stella Dale, Mrs.
Henry Pratt and Baby Helen Louise
McConnell.

A daughter was born Thursday to
Mr. and Mrs. Carter Gilpin, second
child. The little miss will be christ-
ened Macie Louise. A daughter was
also born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry
Maxwell, third child.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Long are
spending a few days in Chicago.

Mrs. George White left for Pon-
tiac, Ill., Saturday where she will
join her husband who recently ac-
cepted a position at that place.

FUNERALS

Fox

Mrs. Maggie Fox of Chapin died
Oct. 5th, after a prolonged illness
at the home of her son, Dr. F. B. Fox
in Freeburg, Ill. She was born Dec.
9th, 1849, near Louisville, Wash-
ington county, Kentucky, and came
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rich-
ard Biggers, to Illinois soon after
the war. They first located at Win-
chester, and then came to Chapin
on Dec. 2nd, 1889, she was united
in marriage to George R. Fox and
has lived near Chapin until the last
two or three weeks. Five children
came to brighten their home. One
son, Edgar, died when quite young.

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man in
"The Prison Without Walls"

Of the others, Dr. F. B. lives at Free-
burg; Richard E., near Chapin;
Walter, in New York; Earl E., in
Toledo, Ohio. Seven grandchildren,
one brother, and two sisters are
among the surviving relatives. Mrs.
Fox was a woman of splendid talent
and ability and had a host of friends
in the Concord vicinity.

Funeral services were held at
Chapin M. P. church Sunday after-
noon with interment in Liberty cem-
etery.

ALTON BRAKEMAN SUFFERS DISLOCATED SHOULDER

Peter Grotjon, a Chicago & Alton
brakeman, is at Passavant hospital
suffering from a dislocated shoulder
and other injuries received at Booth
Monday evening. Grotjon was tak-
ing down some markers after the
train had reached Booth and had a
light in each hand when the train
came to a stop suddenly and he was
thrown to the floor. He suffered a
dislocation of his right shoulder and
struck his head causing unconscious-
ness for four hours. He was brought
to Passavant Tuesday morning and
is improving satisfactorily. Mrs.
Grotjon was here to visit her hus-
band yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Hill and Miss
Witt of this city, Rev. S. B. McKenny
of Alton and Judge J. B. Beekman
were guests Tuesday evening of Mr.
and Mrs. George Beekman of Pisgah.

LICENSED TO MARRY

L. E. Bayless, Concord; Hazel
Hickman, Brownings.

CITY AND COUNTY

H. B. McBee of Keokuk was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Miss Dorothy Tindick was a city caller from Merna, Iowa, yesterday.

V. J. Allen of Roodhouse was a traveler to the city yesterday.

L. E. Bayless of Concord was a Tuesday trader in the city.

C. S. Doyle of Winchester was trading in the city yesterday.

Clarence Thompson of Arcadia was called to the city on business yesterday.

George G. Stetherson of Springfield was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bergen of Petersburg were business visitors in the city yesterday.

C. W. Farrelly of St. Louis was calling on local merchants yesterday.

Mrs. L. B. Alger of East St. Louis was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

O. F. Avery of Pontiac was transacting business in the city yesterday.

G. M. Steinberg of Meredosia was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Mrs. C. C. Gardner of Chicago is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

J. H. Elliott of Quincy was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Warren Case and daughter, Mary, have returned from Woodmont, on the Sound, Connecticut, where they visited Warren Case who is occupied in a manufacturing establishment.

Mrs. Warren Coultas of Winchester was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Guy Husted of Roodhouse was among the shoppers reaching the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Cunningham of Woodson was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Coultas of Scott county was a caller on city people yesterday.

Letter Hart of the region of Sinclair was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Miss Ida Deere of Franklin made a trip to the city in her Overland car yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Murphy of Concord were city arrivals yesterday.

Ora Radliff, in the employ of Jenkinson-Bode Co., is ill at his home on Edge Hill road.

Jacob J. Wintler of Roodhouse visited friends and relatives in the city yesterday.

Editor E. D. Beird of Bluffs was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vannier of Neelyville were city shoppers yesterday.

J. Edgar Baylis of Concord was attracted to the city by business affairs yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of the northwest part of the county called in the city yesterday.

J. B. Gordon of Lynnville traveled to the city in his Dodge car yesterday.

Jacob Haller of Springfield was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

Merle Bedengfield of the northeast part of the county made a trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chapman of Meredosia were added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Charles Kosp of Versailles was a business caller in the city yesterday.

S. F. Pauly of Peoria was a traveler to the city on business yesterday.

M. Stansfield of Harvey was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Morris were city callers from Jerseyville yesterday.

E. N. Ketner of Murrayville paid the city a visit yesterday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Jones of Woodson were visitors with city friends yesterday.

A son of Alex Barnes of Manchester visited the city yesterday. The young man is a member of the Second Minnesota Reserve.

A. C. Foster of the north part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. T. W. Wagner and daughters, Misses Mary and Rose, have returned from a visit with friends in Chicago.

Frank Green of Strawn's Crossing was among the business men of the city yesterday.

L. B. Perry of Kansas City was a caller on some Jacksonville people yesterday.

Walter Berger of Decatur was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

Frank Stratton of Meredosia was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Earl Clark of Versailles was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Lawrence Russell of Industry was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

M. McLaughlin of Winchester was added to the list of business men in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Little of Springfield were among the callers in the city yesterday.

J. E. Thompson of White Hall was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Corrington of the vicinity of Alexander were city arrivals yesterday.

Charles Taylor of Ashbury neighborhood was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Walter Bedengfield of Joy Prairie was among the travelers to the city yesterday.

Ernest Clark helped represent Litterberry in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Wallace Spink of Owensburg, Ky., is visiting relatives of her husband in the city.

Ralph Goltra and wife were city arrivals from Lynnville precinct yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rawlings of Woodson were shoppers with Jacksonville merchants Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isalah Strawn of Auburn arrived in the city in their Overland car Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Strawn of the vicinity of Orleans were added to the list of city callers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sage of Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sage of Prentice and Mrs. Elizabeth Dawson of Arkansas, were guests last week at "The Elms," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stewart on route 6.

Miss Ada Blakeman and Otto Armitage drove to the city Tuesday in Mr. Armitage's Ford car to do shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Pratt of the vicinity of Chapin were among the visitors in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Alice Joy of Joy Prairie was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

William Hadden of Joy Prairie rode to town yesterday in the family Reo car.

Paul Reid of the northeast part of the county came to town in his Ford car yesterday.

Mrs. Harold Joy of the vicinity of Concord was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Flinn of the Prentice neighborhood were among visitors in the city yesterday.

S. O. Cromwell of north of the city was a business caller in Jacksonville Tuesday.

George Jameson of east of Jacksonville was transacting business in the city yesterday.

S. M. Butler of the Beckhorn neighborhood was attending to matters of a business nature in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Wiley Todd of near Lynnville was trading with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Fred Ranson of west of Jacksonville was a business caller in Jacksonville Tuesday.

George Gordon of near Lynnville was a Jacksonville business caller yesterday.

Mrs. R. Y. Gibson of east of the city was among the out of town shoppers in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Mrs. Richard Leake of northwest of the city was numbered among the

shoppers in Jacksonville yesterday.

W. E. Gordon of the west part of the county was among the business visitors in Jacksonville yesterday.

Granville Smith of Ashland was among the business callers in Jacksonville yesterday.

J. M. Nightest of Scottville was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Mrs. B. B. Hughes of Virginia was a Jacksonville shopper Tuesday.

Lucebra Ellis of Modesto was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

O. M. McLamar of Murrayville was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

O. C. Stansfield of Lynnville was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Frank Gordon of the southwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

J. E. Flaherty of LaSalle was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Miss Clara Rook has returned from Chicago after attending a house party given by Miss Margaret Graubner.

Miss Clara Campbell came up to the city from Waverly yesterday. She was a guest at the home of L. W. Hart on East College avenue.

John N. McCormick of Woodson has decided to remove to Jacksonville and has taken quarters at 620 South Prairie street.

Mrs. E. B. Litter has returned to her home in Litterberry after several days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Litter on North Main street.

J. Hernan left last evening for Chicago on a grand purchasing expedition and expected to meet many eastern men with great varieties of goods.

ATTENDANCE GOOD AT CONCORD REVIVAL

Many Came from a Distance to Attend Sunday Evening Meeting at the Christian Church—Red Cross Meeting Held—Other Concord News Notes.

Concord, Oct. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. George Woolf went to Meredosia on Saturday for a few days visit with relatives.

R. E. Abernathy and family went to Virginia on Sunday for a visit.

M. O. Smith and wife went to Ashland on Sunday in their car to see Mrs. Smith's sister, who has had her tonsils removed.

O. T. Hamm and family went to see the family of John Bixler near Springfield, Sunday, in their Oakland. It was a birthday for Mr. Bixler and about 20 guests were there.

Mrs. Abe Litter and sister, Mrs. Paul of near Litterberry, came by auto on Sunday and attended Sunday school and church and then took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Way, Minister and Mrs. C. G. Cantrell and Miss Hester Clem were also dinner guests at the Way home.

Mrs. Cooper and three children, Mrs. Cooper's brother of Versailles visited Mrs. Ethie Plank on Saturday and Sunday.

A large crowd attended the revival on Sunday night at the Christian church. A number of cars came from some distance. The theme Sunday night was "The Scarlet Line." It made a splendid sermon. There was one addition Sunday morning. The meeting will continue one week.

The population of Concord is now about 311 instead of 310, since the arrival of Hubert Harlan Wester, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wester on Thursday morning the 4th. Hubert, Sr., is so proud of the boy he averages \$6.00 per day cutting corn.

A number from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. George R. Fox on Sunday at Chapin.

Thomas McDonald and wife had a family reunion Sunday, and a group picture was taken. 25 faces are in one picture. Miss Helen Yeck was the artist.

The stolen car of Wm. Filson was found near the home of Walter Bobbett in Chapin in bad condition. It was bad enough to steal the car but to "run it dry" was worse yet. Catch the thief and run him dry.

Walter Brockhouse had finished his work near Pleasant View and returned to the farm near White Hall.

August Brockhouse is having his residence reshingled. The Journal reporter is of the opinion that the "sign" is just right for shingling as it is dark moon.

Harold Joy's little son Warren had the misfortune to fall and painfully injure one eye.

A meeting of the Red Cross was held at the Christian church on Monday night after preaching. Rev. and Mrs. Spoons and others were present and spoke.

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FIFTH CONVERTED INTO MACHINE GUN COMPANIES

Regiment to Which Local National Guard Company is Attached to Be Reorganized.

Quincy, Ill., Oct. 9.—Word was received in Quincy tonight that Col. Frank S. Wood and Lieutenant Col. C. D. Center of the Fifth Illinois National Guard, now in Camp Logan, Texas, have been attached to divisional headquarters to await assignment. The Fifth Regiment has been converted into machine gun companies under the re-organization plan.

According to a Houston, Tex., paper sent by Sergeant Jay Rodgers of Co. H to his father, Mayor Rodgers, the company with others is very likely to be in France within a few months. The 33rd division is in training at Camp Logan and it is understood that all this division will vacate the camp before the first of the year and form a part of a division to be sent to Europe. It is because Co. H. is a part of the 33rd division that it is almost a certainty that the Morgan county men will be on foreign soil just a few months hence.

When the troops have been taken from Camp Logan the camp will be used for a third officers' training camp which will begin Jan. 5 and continue until April 5. It is understood that this training camp and others held at the same time are designated particularly for enlisted men who are anxious to become officers. In accordance with the department ruling preference will be given to men without dependents.

DEATHS

Crain
Mrs. G. E. White of 304 East Lafayette avenue received word Tuesday afternoon of the death of Mrs. A. B. Crain which occurred at her home in Roodhouse at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Crain is a brother of Mrs. White. Death resulted from malaria and the deceased had been in a critical condition for several days.

Deceased was the daughter of Joseph and Martha Crews and was born in this city about 35 years ago and was reared here. She was united in marriage about 17 years ago to A. B. Crain, a conductor on the Chicago & Alton. After their marriage they moved to Bloomington and later to Roodhouse which has been their home for a number of years.

Besides her husband she is survived by three children, Helen, Ruth and Russell Crain. She also leaves her mother, Mrs. Martha Crews and three sisters and one brother, Mrs. August Moore, Mrs. Ben Chapman, Mrs. E. Taylor and Henry Crews, all of this city. All of them were at her bedside when the end came.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral, word being awaited from relatives in Marshall, Tenn., and Augusta, Ga.

ANOTHER VIEW ON SUNDAY OBSERVANCE

The statement of Jacksonville ministers voicing a protest against the seemingly growing tendency to secularize Sunday has called forth a good deal of discussion. A letter from John Kearns on this subject appears elsewhere in this issue and the following communication has also been received on the subject:

"It may fairly be asked, is there any real gain in the Sunday work? There may be times such as for the saving of a crop or under some unusual condition when Sunday work seems best, but as a rule it is not best. The late President Sturtevant, a very religious man, used to say in discussing Sunday observance that he began at the secular side of the question. The pavement contractors have seen fit to work their men on Sunday and they have gone quietly about it making little or no disturbance by noisy conduct or work but it may be questioned whether they get more work out of their men in seven days than they would in six.

"An elderly gentleman once remarked that in the pioneer days he many times drove long journeys. Sometimes men with better teams than his would start the same day and travel seven days a week while he traveled but six and not once did he fail to arrive first.

"Our land would deteriorate to savagery if all the churches were wiped out. Hence, how can a person do his plain duty toward the public and his conscience without helping keep up some church with his presence and means?"

MATRIMONIAL

Bayless-Hickman
L. E. Bayless of Concord and Miss Hazel Hickman of Browning were united in marriage Tuesday by Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church. The groom is the son of Mrs. Mollie Bayless of the Concord neighborhood and he and his bride will at once begin house-keeping on a farm in Concord precinct.

Mr. Bayless has both university and practical training in agriculture and ranks as one of the progressive farmers of his precinct. Mrs. Bayless, mother of the groom, and Mrs. C. A. Hickman, mother of the bride, witnessed the ceremony.

NAMES CERTIFIED TO BOARD
In the Journal yesterday reference was made to a list of names of men certified by the district board for military service and names of other men declared exempt from service because of physical disqualification. The statement should have read that these names had been certified to the district board by the local board.

J. E. Stice and J. Frank Strawn were in Chicago Monday and drove home in the new Oldsmobile which Mr. Strawn purchased from J. E. Stice. They left Chicago about 7 o'clock and arrived in the city at 6:20.



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Do you WORK for your money? Well, if you do WHO GETS the money you earn? It is YOUR money. Some you MUST spend. Some you SHOULD save. But don't waste it; it is yours and it is your best friend. If you put it in the bank it will serve you when you are no longer able to work and other friends have grown few and far between.

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REMEMBER DATE OF VISIT.
Come early as parlors are always crowded.

A friendly call may save you future suffering. It has made life anew to thousands who had been pronounced beyond hope.

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THE HICKS DON'T ALL LIVE DOWN STATE

Chicago Fans Stay Up All Night to See Game When Sox are in New York.

Chicago, Oct. 9.—There were in this city baseball fans, as many may be, as a thousand to know that the scene of the championship baseball games had been transferred to New York. As a result of this indifference to a piece of news that was widely mentioned in the daily papers at the time, a line of baseball fans several blocks long drew up before the American League ball park during last night and when day light broke was lounging on the sidewalk waiting for the sale of seats to open at 11 o'clock. All of the attaches of the ball park had gone to New York and there was none left on the grounds to warn the weary waiters they had to wait in vain to see a ball game today.

This morning the line grew in length as 11 o'clock approached and at that hour, it was so long that a detail of police was sent out to inform the members that the game would be in New York and that there wouldn't be any game any way, on account of rain.

MILK BOYCOTT ON IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Oct. 9.—Chicago received more milk than it could use yesterday and comparatively large supplies were left in the hands of distributors.

Milk production is heavy at this season and housewives, some as a matter of principle and some from economic necessity, have declined to pay the new price of 13 cents a quart.

Resentment at the alleged profiteering amounts to a spontaneous boycott.

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD PAYABLE IN GOLD

To the first man or woman who brings me a buyer to whom I make a sale of my home. House contains nine rooms besides bath, pantry, toilet on both first and second floors, electric lights, gas, city water, well and cistern within the kitchen, furnace, large attic, floored, all in good condition. Lot 90x180 with good barn, chicken sheds, garden and grass plat.

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500 MEMBERS WANTED

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BUY THIS WEEK

Palm Olive Soap, per bar . . . 10c; per dozen . . . 95c
Large size, tin top Jelly Glasses, per dozen . . . 25c
"Whiz"—for cleaning grease from hands, 2 10c cans 15c
Potted Meat, 3 10c cans . . . 25c
2 1/2 lb. can "Just Right" Baking Powder, it's good per can . . . 25c
Chili Con Carne, per can, 15c; per dozen cans . . . \$1.65
No. 2 large cans Spaghetti in tomato sauce with cheese ready to serve, per can, 15c; 2 for . . . 25c
Red Navy Beans, 2 lbs. for . . . 25c
Fresh Crisp Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs. . . . 25c

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CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY COSTLY

Victim Spends \$50,000 and Spends Nine Months Time in Fight to Set Himself Right With World.

New York, Oct. 9.—A case of mistaken identity that cost its victim \$50,000 and shattered his health in a nine months fight to set himself right, was brought to light here today when at the request of the district attorney, an indictment charging forgery against Alexander P. McAuley, a wealthy mining engineer of Toronto, Ont., was ordered dismissed by the court. McAuley had been erroneously arrested in St. Louis, Dec. 30, 1916, in the belief that he was Christmas Keough, known as an alleged forger.

It was Keough's practice, according to the police, to pass these checks on jewelry dealers in the holiday season. The positive manner in which shopkeepers identified McAuley as the man who had victimized them led to his protracted fight to clear himself.

Keough, the police say, is still at large.

LABOR LEADER KILLED AT GLOBE, ARIZONA

Globe, Ariz., Oct. 9.—Judge John McBride, federal mediator and widely known labor leader, died this afternoon from injuries received today when he was struck by a runaway horse and hurled thru a plate glass window on Main street.

SUPERIOR, WISCONSIN, REPORTS FIRST SNOW

Superior, Wis., Oct. 9.—The ground was white this morning with the first snow. Rising temperature with rain quickly dispelled it.

TO STIMULATE AGRICULTURE IN MEXICO.

Mexico City, Sept.—In order to stimulate agriculture thru the country, President Carranza, has issued a decree taking off the tax on waters owned by the country and used for irrigation or power purposes and also has removed the import duties on agricultural machinery.

MEXICAN ENGINEER TO STUDY IN U. S.

Mexico City, Sept.—The Secretary of Communications has commissioned Augustin Arcegas, a civil engineer, to go to the United States and make a special study of the workings of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

WILL TAKE ANNUAL CENSUS.

Amsterdam, Sept.—A census of all animals whose flesh can be used as food, is to be taken shortly thru-out the German Empire. Horses, goats, pigeons and rabbits are included in the list.

JAPAN TO BUILD SUBMARINES.

Tokio, Sept.—Announcement has been made that Japan will build thirty submarine boats next spring. The navy's personnel will be increased to meet the new demand.

RE-ELECT BOARD

Fort Wayne, Ind., Oct. 9.—Stockholders of the Wabash Railroad company in their annual meeting here today re-elected the serving board of directors.

CLEVELAND TAKES FIFTH GAME OF OHIO SERIES

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 9.—Cleveland took the fifth game of the Ohio series here today, 6 to 3, making the game score now stand Cincinnati, 3; Cleveland, 2.

WE PHOTOGRAPH MEN as they are. It's a business matter and there is no fuss or bother.



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ODD AND INTERESTING

There are about 100,000 Turks in the United States.

The residents of Newcastle, Eng., are called Novocastrians.

An authority estimates the number of known languages and dialects at 3,424.

For providing the body with "energy", bread is only surpassed by oatmeal and by sugar.

More tobacco is smoked per head in the United States than in any other country except Holland.

The frontier line between Canada and the United States is the only "undefended" frontier in the world.

Among the few English words that contain the vowels in their reverse order are uncomplimentary and unnoticeably.

There are in the United States nearly 2,500,000 natives of Germany, and more than 12,000,000 persons of German descent.

Every important war in which the United States has been involved, excepting the War of 1812, had its beginning in April.

If the United States adopted the same vigorous military calling-up standard as Germany, she could raise an army of 17,000,000 men.

In Paris the sellers of newspapers in the streets are not allowed to shout out the items of news. The women sellers have overcome this law by singing the items in soft tones, adapting the words to some popular melody.

Longfellow's "wreck of the Hesperus" came to him as he was sitting by the fireside on the night of a violent storm. He went to bed, but could not sleep; and as he lay the verses were composed until the poem was completed.

The longest known survival of any seed is that of a certain Egyptian lily. A dried seed-pod kept in the South Kensington Museum in London contained seed which was tested and found to grow after a period of ninety-five years.

If a man is going to commit a crime during his lifetime, the chances are that he will do it at the age of twenty-nine. It is a curious fact that statistics have shown that man is more dangerous at this period of his life than at any other.

The Germans have been importing large quantities of pork from Roumania. In order to get through Austria without the hungry Austrians getting it first they put the pigs in coffins and labelled them as "German heroes," sent back from the front.

Uncle Sam possesses one-fifth of all the world's wealth. His possessions are greater than those of Germany and France combined, five billions more than the entire wealth of the United Kingdom, three times that of Russia, and fifteen times that of the whole Australian continent.

Dragoons used to be armed with a short musket which spouted out fire so fiercely when the trigger was pulled that it was called a "dragon," after the fabulous beast whose breath is fire. So well established this name became for this firearm that a dragon was engraved on the barrel, and the men who used this particular weapon were called "dragoons."

KANSAS CITY MARKETS Kansas City Stock Yards, Oct. 8, 1917.—Receipts here last week were 92,000 cattle and 10,000 calves, which was second largest supply ever received here in one week. Last week followed a week with receipts of 100,000 cattle and calves, and Monday of this week opened with a supply of 27,000 cattle, indicating another heavy week, three in succession.

Naturally prices are weakening, although country demand is enormous, 38,000 head to the country from here last week, best stockers steady, lower grades 25 to 35 lower for the week, feeding steers in good demand and close to steady. There will be about two more weeks of big runs, after which the supply will begin to drop off. Buyers came from all sections, stock cattle going out in all directions, but Illinois the best buyer of good feeders, Oklahoma leading buyer of cheap stock steers.

Trade Monday this week was not as brisk as last week, except on feeding steers, for which there was a very good demand. Fleshy steers of desirable kind sell to feeder buyers at \$12.50 to \$14.50, and straight feeding steers at \$8.75 to \$11.50. A ten car drove of good bred Kansas feeders sold Monday this week at \$11.25, around 1100 lbs. average. Many choice bred range cattle are coming now, from Texas and from Colorado, and there is the usual percentage of trashy kinds, a full variety from which to select. Stock cow and heifers are not much changed, lower grades possibly 25 cents lower, sales largely at \$6.25 to \$8.25. The immune hog trade continues active, and vaccinated shoats are firmly held. Sales late last week ranged from \$18.25 to \$91, one sale of choice 125 pound immunized shoats reported at \$19.25. Feeding lambs advanced last week, and opened this week steady Monday, pretty good western feeding lambs at \$17.75 to \$17.85, some choice ewe lambs to country buyers up to \$18.50 recently, fancy young breeding ewes \$17.50, solid mouth ewes, \$13 to \$15.50.

J. A. Rickart, Market Correspondent.

COURTMARTIAL RESULTS IN ACQUITTAL Mexico City, Sept.—Correspondence.—The second court-martial of General Lucio Blanco, well known along the Texas border and one of the prominent figures of the early days of the Constitutional movement which was recently completed, resulted in his acquittal. He was charged with treason and with usurpation of military authority which he did possess. Blanco, in the early days of the revolution was a cavalry leader under General Alvaro Obregon. At the time of the convention in Aguas Calientes, Blanco allied himself with the so-called Conventionalist government. He was arrested over two years ago and has been in confinement since that time.

Seven hundred thousand fewer births took place in Germany last year than in 1914.

SELF-GOVERNMENT TO BE DEVELOPED IN INDIA

British Government Formulates Plans for Granting People Larger Share in Their Own Government—Ideal Must Be Approached by Easy Stages.

London. — (Correspondence of The Associated Press. — Plans formulated by the British government for granting a larger measure of self-government to the people of India were explained to The Associated Press correspondent today by Edwin S. Montagu, Secretary of State for India. Mr. Montagu, who is soon to start for India, said: "My journey to India is the direct outcome of the Government's announcement in Parliament that its policy in India is to develop self-governing institutions with a view to the progressive realization of representative government."

"Do not misunderstand me. This ideal of ours must be approached by easy stages. The man who thinks that home rule for India is a practical policy is either wholly ignorant of the situation or designedly mischievous. Steps toward responsible government will be taken at different rates by different parts of India. Great provinces will fit themselves for it at different times. But the great thing is that we are going ahead firmly on the path toward the end of which we all, British and Indian alike, desire."

Measures Must Be Adequate "The measures that we adopt must be adequate. They must show real progress. War vast upheaval has stirred all peoples, not only in Russia, not only in western Europe, but in China and India as well. Everybody wants to be assured that the world, their own little world, as well as the big world, is a better world after the war. India, equally with the rest of the world, has a right to demand progress, and real progress."

"So we are adopting the direct and business-like method—and I'm going to India to consult with the people there and bring back the results of my conferences and inquiries to be put before Parliament as the basis for a law which shall mean progress in its widest and best sense."

"We have set ourselves avowedly to the enormous task of improving the conditions and life of the people, to guarding them against famine and against wars external and internal so that they might live and learn and develop their great resources unhindered and in peace."

Reclaim Acres of Desert. "One of the most striking evidences of our work in India is found in our irrigation enterprises, which are even vaster than the greatest of your own irrigation exploits, and which have reclaimed literally thousands of square miles of desert. But it is still a country of poverty. The majority of the people live on a few rupees a month, and it takes three rupees to make an American dollar. Their country has vast resources awaiting development, but the people are still very poor. Only about ten per cent of the population can read and write."

"India's greatest terror, the spectre of famine has practically disappeared owing to irrigation and the development of transport by railway, canal and river. A season of famine which a generation ago meant hundreds of thousands of deaths, now means only discomfort and strain. As we have conquered famine, so we shall surmount the educational difficulties."

"Electoral bodies have sprung up and there are in most provinces today Councils which have power to pass resolutions and act in an advisory capacity, although they have little responsibility or real power. The members of these legislative units have begun to tire of a situation in which they are little more than debaters, and we shall be glad to provide food for this developing civic appetite."

"Today the British people have begun to realize that India has proved herself worthy of a larger part in the Imperial plan. India is now assured of a place in all future Imperial war conferences."

"Further steps toward responsible government will be taken as a result of my trip to India—steps which I trust will be convincing and satisfying to the great body of educated public opinion in that country."

PAYS TRIBUTE TO WELSH PEOPLE London, Sept.—An autographic message from Prime Minister David Lloyd George, which was sold at a Welsh fair at Holyhead this week for \$500 said:

"This is an age of heroes. There never have been so many in any generation of the world's history, and it is well, therefore, that we should commemorate the fact with the special pride of our time. Moreover, no part of the British Empire has made a readier or sturdier contribution than the rugged corner assigned by Providence for Welshmen to dwell in."

PUSH PLANS FOR ARMY DRAFT San Juan, Porto Rico, Sept.—All preparations for the draft for the National Army in Porto Rico are being pushed, according to Adjutant General John A. Wilson, who has announced that he expected to request President Wilson early next month to fix a day for the drawing. Approximately 13,000 men are to be drawn in the island.

EARNING POWER OF STEAMERS Liverpool, Sept.—As indicative of the present earning power of steamers, it is reported that a vessel recently arrived here with a cargo, 45,000 cases of onion from Valencia, earned over thirty seven thousand pounds sterling for the nine days voyage.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vannier of Neelyville were city shoppers yesterday.

ARGENTINE IS NOT PREPARED TO FOLLOW

Buenos Aires, Oct. 9.—The Argentine government is not prepared to follow the action of Uruguay in severing diplomatic relations with Germany, according to Foreign minister Pueyrredon. Argentina has not pledged her neutrality, the foreign minister added, but his attempt to safeguard her own interests. Relations with Germany will be broken if such sufficient causes arise, but as long as Germany recognizes the Argentine flag and respects the nation and the people there probably will be no break.

RAILROADERS TO GET INCREASED WAGES

Petrograd, Oct. 9.—The railwaymen's strike has caused the government to decide to grant the increase wages demanded as from Sept. 1. This will necessitate an expenditure of 750,000,000 rubles annually, which the government has decided to meet by a rearrangement of railway rates. Simultaneously the government will promulgate a law providing for special food supplies for railway men.

PAYMASTER VISITS FORT SHERIDAN

FORT SHERIDAN, Ill., Oct. 9.—The work of distributing \$400,000 among 4,000 student officers at the training camp here was completed today. It was the first visit of the paymaster since the second camp opened. Liberty loan workers began an energetic selling campaign.

"MAKIN'S" COSTS SIX CENTS IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—A touch of war expense that will go home to millions of smokers was felt here today when retailers asked six cents for the "makin's". The "makin's" constitute the filler of self-manufactured cigarettes and have always sold at 5c, often with a packet of papers thrown in. The new revenue tax law is responsible.

IOWAN GUILTY OF SERIOUS OFFENSE

Davenport, Ia., Oct. 9.—Daniel P. Wallace, who on the night of July 25, made an alleged unpatriotic speech here, was last night found guilty by a federal jury on two counts of violating the espionage law. This is said to be the first conviction in the United States under the law which was passed by congress June 25. The maximum penalty is 20 years imprisonment.

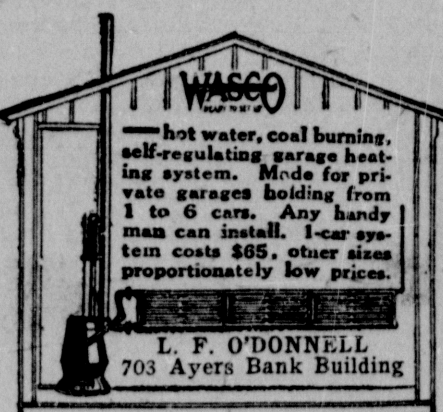
JITNEY DRIVER IS HELD FOR MURDER

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 9.—Israel Weinberg, a jitney driver, was brought to trial here today for murder growing out of a bomb explosion here in July, 1916, which claimed ten victims. Selection of a jury is expected to require about a week.

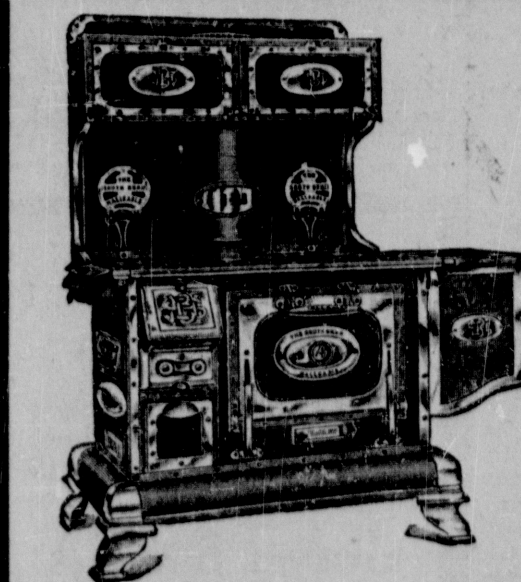
MOY REPORTED DYING

James Moy, who was struck by Dr. Arthur E. Prince's automobile Sunday morning was reported to be dying at an early hour this (Wednesday) morning. Moy has not regained consciousness since the accident and from the first the attending physician held out little hope of recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Beatty of Decatur spent yesterday with Jacksonville friends.



PAIGE SIXES and Republic Trucks



NOTICE!

You will be interested to know that on Aug. 24, 1917, the United States Government, War Department, awarded us an immense range contract amounting to several train loads.

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HOW MANY CIGARS?

GUESS THE NUMBER OF CIGARS THAT WILL BE MADE IN JACKSONVILLE FACTORIES DURING THE THREE MONTHS FROM SEPT. 15 TO DEC. 15TH

FIRST PRIZE

If you make the nearest guess 100 ten cent cigars of any local make are yours.

SECOND PRIZE

Fifty Ten Cent Cigars.

THIRD PRIZE

Fifty Five Cent Cigars

Only one guess will be allowed to any person and no cigar maker can participate. Send your guess to the Luly-Davis Drug Store—you may win.

Jacksonville Cigar Makers Union

The New Ricks Garage

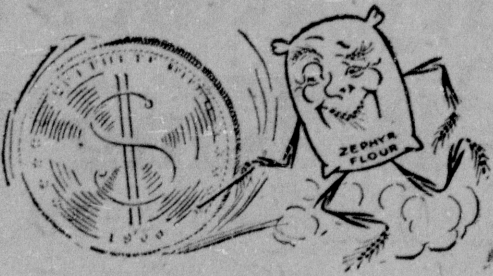
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Eat hearty, nutritious bread made of

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At equal cost ZEPHYR
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Use Newbro's Herpicide IN TIME AND YOU WILL NEVER NEED FALSE HAIR

Wearing false hair is a harmless
deceit of which many ladies are
guilty. These women are all objects
for sympathy rather than criticism.
Early neglect in the care of the
scalp has caused the loss of so much
hair that their personal appearance
is sadly marred. To correct this de-
fect they resort to artificial hair
hoping by so doing to hide the re-
sults of their earlier inattention to
the details of their toilet. These un-
fortunates are deceiving no one but
themselves as no artificial hair no
matter how costly, ever has the
snap and luster nor can it be
made to look as pretty and at-
tractive as natural hair.
Most ladies would resent any imputa-
tion of personal carelessness and
neglect. And yet very many permit
their natural hair to become so dull,
brittle and lusterless that it looks no
better than that bought at the store.
All this is as unfortunate as it is
unnecessary. Hair that is unsightly
or thin may usually be attributed to
the destroying effects of Dandruff.
This destructive formation shortly
robs the hair of life, with the result

that it finally loosens and drops out.
There is a preparation, sold an-
guaranteed by all dealers, the intelli-
gent use of which will kill the
dandruff germ. It cleanses the scalp
of all accumulations and makes the
hair shine with the luster of life and
beauty. That remedy is Newbro's
Herpicide, the Original Germ-
Remedy for Dandruff. In no way
can you add more to your personal
charm and attractiveness than by
the use of this remarkable and well
known scalp prophylactic.
On account of its astonishing
merit and its light and ex-
quisite odor, Herpicide finds users
everywhere among all classes. It
may be purchased in 50 cent and \$1.00
sizes at all drug stores and toilet
goods counters. Applications may
be obtained at the better barber
shops and hair dressing parlors.
Upon receipt of 10 cents in postage
or silver to cover cost of packing and
mailing, The Herpicide Co., Dept. S,
Detroit, Mich., will send to any
address a nice sample bottle of
Herpicide and an interesting booklet
on the care of the hair.



Odd Pieces of FURNITURE at Prices That Should Interest You

Princess Dresser—Bird's Eye Maple, 18x36
French mirror, \$23.50 value \$17.75
Chiffonier—Colonial style, genuine Ameri-
can walnut, full size, large mirror, \$28.50
was the price. Close out at \$19.75
Continuous Post Vernis Martin Bed—2 inch
post, 1 inch filler, highest grade. Regular
price \$12.50 \$8.90
Dining Room Suite—Buffet 50 inch, table 48
inch, fumed oak, 6 box seat dining chairs—
Buffet was \$32.50, Table was \$25.00, Chair
set was \$21.00; regular price of suite was
\$78.50. This week \$53.75
Combination Gas and Coal Range—full size
and guaranteed in every way equal to any
stove selling at \$80. This week ... \$56.75
Rug Border—1 yard wide, best quality—
worth 60 cents anywhere. This week ... 43c

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TO CELEBRATE OPENING OF CATSKILL AQUEDUCT

New York Plans Big Observance of
Completion of Gigantic Enterprise—
Rivalled by Few Engineering
Feats in World's History.

New York, Oct. 9.—The comple-
tion of the great Catskill Aqueduct,
120 miles long and capable of de-
livering 500,000,000 gallons of water
a day to residents of Greater
New York, is to be made the occa-
sion for a big celebration here the
latter part of this week. The cele-
bration will open at noon Friday
with ceremonies at City Hall. In
the afternoon of the same day, the
emptying of the lower Croton Res-
ervoir in Central Park will take
place, and will be followed by an
elaborate outdoor pageant, the title
of which is "The Good Gift of Wa-
ter." Friday night here is to be a
banquet at the Waldorf-Astoria, the
guests to include President Wilson,
Colonel Roosevelt, Governor Whit-
mah and George B. McClellan, who,
as mayor of New York, began the
Catskill water system. The celebra-
tion will be brought to a close Sat-
urday and Sunday with special reli-
gious services in synagogues and
churches.

Few engineering projects in the
world's history rival the building of
the Catskill water system in cost,
magnitude, or the difficulties that
had to be overcome to carry it to a
successful conclusion.

Rapid Increase in Needs.
Today New York is consuming an
average of 500,000,000 gallons of
water every 24 hours. So rapidly
have the needs of the metropolitan
district in this respect increased in
recent years that the facilities of
supply of the old Croton water sys-
tem were found inadequate. But it
was the fear of disease even more
than the immediate need of an ade-
quate supply of water that impelled
the Board of Water Supply to go
nearly 100 miles up State, as the
crow flies, to the Catskill watershed
in order to obtain an inexhaustible
supply of pure mountain water to
fill Father Knickerbocker's cup.

Eleven years ago the preliminaries
for the work were agreed upon and
the first of active operations begun.
Since that beginning work has gone
on with tireless energy—the aqueduct
advance ranging weekly from 1000
feet to more than 7000 feet of con-
struction in one form or another as
it traveled along the surface of the
earth, burrowed thru an overlying
mountain or lived headlong down
hundreds of feet until it could
straighten out upon a horizontal
course way below a river bed.

The great source of supply is the
Ashokan Reservoir, where the water
is to remain stored, and from which
it will be drawn to meet the needs
of the metropolitan district. The
reservoir has a watershed area of
about 225 square miles, while it
drains a total territory of some 300
square miles.

Follows Wandering Route.
From the Ashokan Reservoir to
Staten Island, which is the south-
ernmost limit of the metropolitan
water district, the Catskill Aqueduct
traverses a wandering route of 127
miles, and in doing this skirts along
many a steep hillside, pierces moun-
tains, descends beneath rivers and
wide, deep valleys, and crosses the
Narrows of New York harbor.

From the city's northern bound-
ary up to the Ashokan Reservoir
there are 92 miles of aqueduct, and
between that reservoir and Croton
Lake, the principal basin on the
Croton watershed, there are 64
miles. While the new line passes
directly under Croton Lake, it will
not tap the latter except in an emer-
gency, and then it will do so pri-
marily as a feeder.

The great underground aqueduct
has a diameter of 17 feet and would
make a very commodious tunnel for
New York's subway trains. For
many miles of its length the build-
ers had to win a terrific battle
against enveloping water and quick-
sand. In going under Manhattan
they had to blast their way thru
solid rock with millions of pounds
of dynamite. In going under the
East River the aqueduct was sunk
to a depth of 752 feet below sea
level.

To give an idea of the capacity
of the great Ashokan Reservoir, that
is, the two immense basins into
which it is formed, it may be said
that when filled it holds a total of
122,000,000,000 gallons, an amount
sufficient to float virtually all of
the battleships of the world. In or-
der to prepare the great basin for
the reception of drinking water it
was necessary to condemn and re-
move seven villages with a total
population of about 2000. After the
ground had been cleared it required
a year and a half for the great bas-
ins to fill with water.

**The styles and prices of LA-
DIES' FURS shown by FRANK
BYRNS' Hat Store are most at-
tractive.**

FIRST ISSUE OF "TRENCH AND CAMP"

Washington, Oct. 8.—"Trench and
Camp," the weekly newspaper to be
printed for every army camp in the
United States, is scheduled to make
its first appearance today. The na-
tional war council of the Y. M. C. A.
originated the idea of having a week-
ly paper devoted to the news and
interests of the boys in khaki, and
with the aim of creating and foster-
ing a spirit of unity among the fight-
ing men. Publishers of newspapers
in cities nearest the different camps
have volunteered to do the printing
of the weekly issues. Colonel Roose-
velt and Secretaries Baker and Dan-
iels have written articles for the in-
itial issue, which is also to include
voluntary contributions from a num-
ber of well-known cartoonists, sport-
ing editors and special writers.

J. C. McCarty of Springfield spent
Tuesday in the city attending to
business.

PRECINCT MEETINGS WILL BEGIN MONDAY

S. B. Smith of Department of Agri-
culture Will Tell County Residents
About Crop Improvement Plan.

Sidney B. Smith representing the
United States Department of Agri-
culture will start the campaign for
membership and funds to secure a
county agricultural advisor in this
county on Monday, Oct. 15 and will
close his work here on the 3rd of
November.

Automobiles will be furnished
him by interested farmers and he
will visit farms during the day and
address meetings in the evenings.

Meetings have been arranged as
follows:

Literberry, Monday, Oct. 15.
Murrayville, Tuesday, Oct. 16.
Chapin, Wednesday, Oct. 17.
Lynnville, Thursday, Oct. 18.
Orleans, Friday, Oct. 19.
Franklin, Saturday, Oct. 20.
Announcement of other meetings
will be made later. It is planned
to hold meetings in Scott county af-
ter Mr. Smith has completed his tour
of Morgan county.

Subscribers will be asked to
pledge ten dollars a year for three
years, conditional upon the hiring
of an advisor continuously during
that period. While the services of
the advisor will be available to any
farmer in the county, those who sub-
scribe will, of course, be shown the
preference and will have the first
opportunity for his assistance and
advice. In the general organization
and co-operative work done by the
advisor, every one who wishes will
share equally whether he is a sub-
scriber or not but with a large num-
ber of subscribers the advisor must
necessarily confine his special work
to subscribers.

Subscription cards are now in
every bank in the county and those
who wish to subscribe are urged to
go to their banker and sign a card
at once. If those interested will do
this now, it will allow Mr. Smith
much more time for interesting oth-
ers.

The agitation of this question at
this time has developed the fact
that there is a much stronger senti-
ment for an advisor than ever before
and if those interested will sub-
scribe promptly, the campaign for
funds and membership can soon be
brought to a successful conclusion.

**Men's underwear to suit the
season and please the wearer,
sold by FRANK BYRNS' Hat
Store.**

LYNNVILLE

Fay Ranson, Ruth and Irene Ham-
el were Jacksonville visitors Satur-
day and Sunday.

Charles and Emma Tuke of Win-
chester and Mary Moore spent Wed-
nesday at the home of Geo. Fligg
and family.

Mrs. Nettie Shepherd took ad-
vantage of the excursion to Chicago
Friday night.

Susie Dickinson has returned to
Jacksonville after a visit with Edgar
Gibbs and family.

Riley Taylor of Chapin is visiting
at the home of N. D. Foeter.

Mrs. Nellie Lazenby is visiting
her mother, Mrs. Hagen of Alexan-
der.

The many friends of Wellington
Mayfield were sorry to learn of his
death in Chicago Friday night.

MANCHESTER

C. D. Chapman went to Chicago
Monday night where he will attend
the seventy-eighth session of grand
lodges A. F. & A. M. now in session
at the Medinah temple.

Mrs. John Thomas was in Jack-
sonville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hess and fam-
ily spent Sunday in Scottville with
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cattlett.

N. M. Caldwell has returned from
a few days' trip to Chicago.

Mrs. F. F. Clark and daughter,
Miss Lucile Antrobus, spent Tuesday
in Jacksonville.

Dr. and Mrs. Curtman McMahon
are spending a few days in Spring-
field.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of William B. Groves, De-
ceased.

The undersigned, having been ap-
pointed Administratrix of the estate
of William B. Groves, late of the
County of Morgan and State of Illi-
nois, hereby gives notice that she
will appear before the County Court
of Morgan County, at the Court
House in Jacksonville, at the Decem-
ber term, on the first Monday in
December next, at which time all
persons having claims against said
estate are notified and requested to
attend for the purpose of having the
same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said es-
tate are requested to make imme-
diate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this ninth day of October,
A. D. 1917.

Mary Groves, Administratrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary DePreitas, Deceas-
ed.

The undersigned, having been ap-
pointed Conservator and ex-officio
Administrator of the estate of Mary
DePreitas, late of the County of
Morgan and State of Illinois, hereby
gives notice that he will appear be-
fore the County Court of Morgan
County, at the Court House in Jack-
sonville, at the January term, on
the first Monday in January next,
at which time all persons having
claims against said estate are notifi-
ed and requested to attend for the
purpose of having the same adjust-
ed.

All persons indebted to said es-
tate are requested to make imme-
diate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this fifth day of October,
A. D. 1917.

J. W. Walton,
Conservator and ex-officio
Administrator.

MANY VETERANS TO GO TO VICKSBURG

Fifteen Hundred are Eligible to
Have Their Railroad Fare and
Expenses Paid to National Mem-
orial Union and Peace Jubilee.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 9.—Fifteen
hundred union and confederate sold-
iers are eligible under the Field-
stack law, enacted by the last gen-
eral assembly, to have their railroad
fare and incidental expenses paid to
the National Memorial Union and
Peace jubilee to be held at Vicks-
burg, Miss., from Tuesday to Thurs-
day of next week, October 16 to 19.

The Fieldstack bill appropriated
\$40,000 to meet the expense of send-
ing the old soldiers who wore the
gray as well as the blue, and already
Adjutant General Frank S. Dickson,
who is administering the funds, is
besieged by letters from veterans
who wish to take advantage of the
opportunity to revisit scenes which
many of them last saw as deadly
foes.

Vicksburg National Military Park
will be the site of the big encamp-
ment.

Just think! You can be
a "good fellow" to a sol-
dier in France for twen-
ty-five cents.

WILL LEAVE FOR WINTER HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. French
who have been spending the summer
here will leave this afternoon for
Pensacola, Fla., to spend the winter
months. Mr. French while here the
past summer has superintended the
erection of two modern cottages at
the corner of Jordan and North
Prairie streets. He owns his resi-
dence property in Pensacola and is
pleasantly located in that city.

Earl N. Epler of Beardstown is
spending a few days in the city
visiting friends. Mr. Epler was for
a number of years associated with
the firm of C. J. Deppe & Co., in
this city.

There is more Catarrh in this section
of the country than all other diseases
put together, and for years it was sup-
posed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed
local remedies, and by constantly fail-
ing to cure with local treatment, pronounced
it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease,
greatly influenced by constitutional con-
ditions and therefore requires constitu-
tional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medi-
cine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney &
Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional
remedy, is taken internally and acts
thru the blood on the mucous surfaces
of the system. One Hundred Dollars re-
ward is offered for any case that Hall's
Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for
circulars and testimonials.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, Etc.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.



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This is one of the new
military ideas in sport
suits. There are many
others here—patch
pockets, welts all
around; yokes, plaits,
and every one all-
wool. Hart Schaffner
& Marx best skill has
gone into them—:- :-

A serious business fact

That every Hart Schaffner & Marx suit
we own is actually worth more than its price
and will be worth a great deal more still
three months from now, doesn't make us any
less keen to sell them to you today.

This business has grown up on the basis
that giving the extra value to our customers
is the real way to get the extra value for our-
selves.

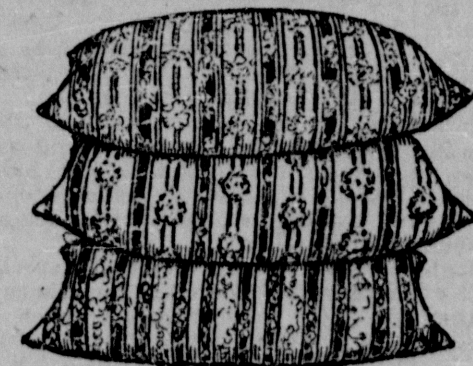
The effect of war on the world's woolen
market makes today's values here far and
away the greatest we have ever known.

Come and see—
SUITS
\$12.50 to \$35.00

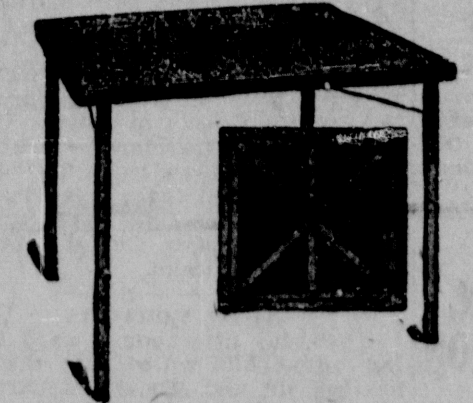
LUKEMAN BROS.

The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

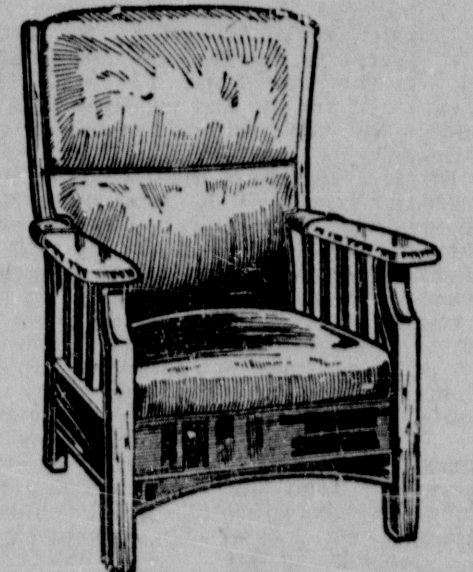
Specials for This Week Only



This week we will
sell a 27-inch
Pillow
covered with good
grade fancy tick at
\$1.79

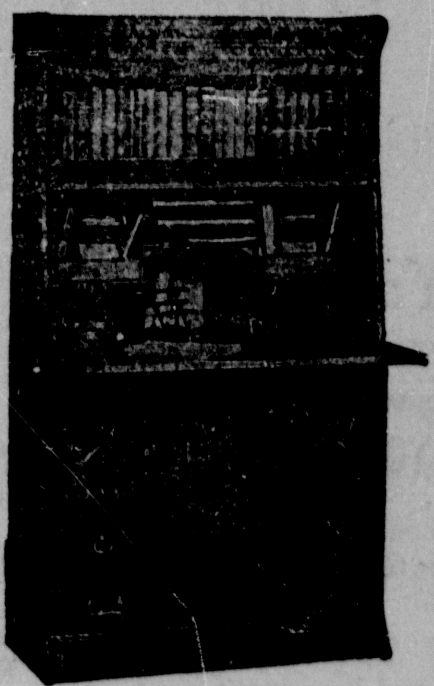


This 30-in. square
**Card
Table**
covered with green
chase leather, like
cut, at
\$1.95

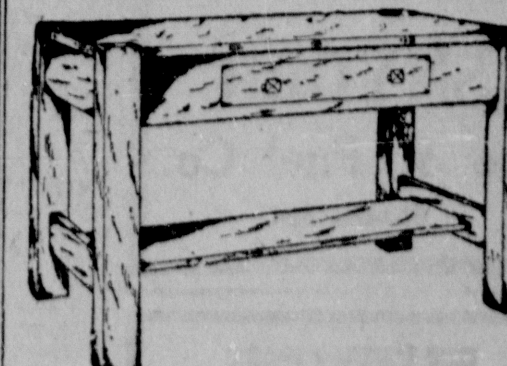


Buy that
**Royal
Push
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Chair**

you have heard so
much of. Enjoy the
hours spent at
home reclining in
one of these large,
comfortable chairs.



A complete line of **Sectional Book
Cases** to select from in all finishes.
Our **Book Cases** have features that
no other make has. Come in and let
us show them to you.



A genuine oak **Library Table**, 26x42
inch top, 4-in. legs, like cut, at **\$9.95**

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RAIN CAUSES DELAY IN WORLD SERIES GAMES

FORECAST FOR TODAY IS FAIR
AND WARMER

Postponement of Tuesday's Game
Proves Keen Disappointment to
Thousands of Fans—Cicotte and
Sallee Probable Hurlers Today.

New York, Oct. 9.—Heavy rain which began shortly before noon, caused a postponement until tomorrow of the third world's series game scheduled for today between the Chicago White Sox and the New York Giants. The forecast for tomorrow is fair and warmer. The rain today was accompanied by a decided drop in temperature.

There was evidence that the game would have been attended by a capacity crowd for fully 15,000 spectators were in the Polo Grounds stands when the official announcement of the postponement was made. The

lines in front of the gates extended for several blocks when the ticket boxes were opened early in the forenoon and the men and boys, many of whom had stood in line all night, filed into the grounds.

As usual, every ticket sold today had a rain check attached which will be good only for the third game of the series. Many of these found their way into the hands of speculators. In most cases the rain checks were sold at a profit to the holders.

When the first squall came the diamond was uncovered and the playing surface was hard and fast but so quickly did the rain fall that the base paths were heavy before the ground keeper and his helpers could spread the waterproof mats. Tonight there was every indication that the opening game here would be played under much the same surface conditions as prevailed last Saturday at Chicago.

Under the ruling of the National commission the teams must remain in this city until two league games have been played. If the teams are able to resume their struggle here tomorrow and if the Giants win one or both contests the teams will return to Chicago for a single game there next Saturday, instead of Friday as originally scheduled. If a sixth game is necessary to decide the series the teams will leave Chicago Saturday night and take up the play again at the Polo Grounds the following Monday.

Many close followers of baseball, and the Giants' adherents in particular expressed the opinion that the delay of a day or two would improve the chances of the National League representatives. It was figured that the White Sox, because of the double victory had got the jump on the Giants and that a break in the succession of games would afford the New York players a chance to steady down and show to better advantage. The New York fans are pulling hard for their favorites to win two straight on the home grounds. Many of them contend that if this does happen, the Nationals will go to the front and win the series.

The postponement proved a severe disappointment to thousands of baseball enthusiasts who had come from distant points to witness the battle.

There was quiet rejoicing among the hotel proprietors and theatre managements, however, for the postponement means an additional investment of currency from the fans who were obliged to add another day to their visit in this city if they wished to see the contest.

Rooms at all the hotels throughout the central belt of Manhattan Island were at a premium and many fans tramped miles in the rain to get accommodations. There also was a rush for theatre tickets and the box offices soon were sold out leaving the visitors to the mercy of the ticket speculators who quickly raised the price of their pasteboards, forcing the more economical of the fans to the moving picture places.

The consensus of opinion today was that Cicotte would pitch for Chicago tomorrow and that he would be opposed by Sallee of New York. The probable batting order:

Chicago	New York
J. Collins, lf.	Burns, lf.
McMullin, 3b.	Herzog, 2b.
E. Collins, 2b.	Kauff, cf.
Jackson, rf.	Zimmerman, 3b.
Felsch, cf.	Fletcher, ss.
Gandil, 1b.	Robertson, rf.
Weaver, ss.	Holke, 1b.
Schalk, c.	Rariden, c.
Cicotte, p.	Sallee, p.

PLANTS FROM THE SOUTH

John A. Groves is in the city for a few days' visit with his family. Mr. Groves is now traveling for the Oliver Plow Co. and is spending most of his time in Arkansas. He has with him some samples of cotton grown in Arkansas and also some velvet beans grown near Conway, Ark. The beans are cultivated largely there as a legume for increasing soil fertility. Mr. Groves will send some of the beans to the agricultural department of the University of Illinois in order to find out if they are suitable for growing in this vicinity.

NO CHANGE IN CONDITION

The condition of Mrs. Johanna DeFrates who was struck by a street car Sunday evening remains about the same. Mrs. DeFrates is 75 years of age and it is difficult to tell will later bring serious results.

UGH! ACID STOMACH, SOURNESS, HEARTBURN, GAS OR INDIGESTION

The Moment "Pape's Diapiesin" Reaches the Stomach All Distress Goes

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into acids and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. and Mrs. Dyspeptic, jot this down: Pape's Diapiesin helps neutralize the excessive acids in the stomach so your food won't sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is upset you usually get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it helps to regulate your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. "Pape's Diapiesin" is positive in neutralizing the acidity, so the misery won't come back very quickly. You feel different as soon as "Pape's Diapiesin" comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gas, no belching, no eructations of indigestible food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made, by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia, or any stomach disorder, due to acid fermentation.—Adv.

FINDS CATTLE FEEDING PROFITABLE BUSINESS

G. R. Swain is One of Morgan County Feeders Who Keeps in the Game. Consistently—Sent Two Loads to Chicago Recently—A. W. and H. W. Petefish Buy Missouri Ranch.

Thru many years George R. Swain of the Sinclair neighborhood has been a consistent Morgan county cattle feeder. Years ago Mr. Swain used to buy cattle in the fall and fed them thru the winter for an early summer market. In later years however, because of the increased difficulty of securing labor, Mr. Swain has followed a different plan and buys cattle just a short time before spring days come and markets them in the early fall. Recently he sold a car load of Shorthorn fat cattle and a car load of black Polled Angus. The black cattle brought \$12.25 per hundred in Chicago, the purchaser being Swift & Co., and the red cattle marketed on the same day, sold at \$15.75. It was last February that Mr. Swain bought these cattle in St. Louis and at that time they averaged 850 lbs. He had them shipped to Sinclair and they were immediately taken to his feeding lots and placed with four or five steers of own raising. They had hay, straw and fodder with just a little corn until pastures were green and then they were turned in to the pastures and had access to a self-feeder of corn.

It has been Mr. Swain's experience that for putting good solid fat on cattle and making quick gains there is nothing that equals good yellow corn and when he has cattle on feed they get all of this golden grain that they want. Like other good feeders, Mr. Swain pays careful attention also to the matter of water supply and cattle in his lots or on feed always find water tanks where the water is of moderate temperature near at hand. Soon after he began feeding these cattle Mr. Swain put 100 head of hogs with them. At the time they ranged in weight from 135 to 160 lbs., and 70 head were placed on the market several weeks ago and averaged in Chicago 260 lbs. The lighter hogs were held back and the 30 now weigh something more than 200 lbs.

While Mr. Swain did not give out the figures on this transaction, he made it clear that he had secured an excellent price for his corn and had made a good profit for his investment and work in addition. Asked what he intended to do the coming year with reference to feeding, Mr. Swain said it was of course too early to tell but unless conditions changed from what was anticipated that he would follow the same plan next spring that he has for a number of years past. Mr. Swain is one of those men who does not believe that the end of the war is anywhere close at hand and he also believes that should there come a sudden termination that prices for grain and livestock are certain to remain high for some time to come.

Buy Ranch in Missouri.

A. W. and H. W. Petefish of Litterberry neighborhood have recently purchased thru C. M. Story 1120 acres of land in Missouri. They will use this as a stock and grain farm mainly for cattle that they purchase at the Kansas City market. The greater part of the land is tillable but some of it is rough and suited only for pasture. The Morgan county men already have possession of the land and will make some improvements.

The Messrs. Petefish specialize here on the raising of Shorthorn cattle. On their Missouri ranch they will probably not confine themselves to any one breed of cattle but will buy on the Kansas City market at times that seem favorable and sell when the market is right. They also expect to keep a large number of cows, not for dairying purposes but for the raising of cattle. Quite a number of experienced stock men are following this general line of operation, some of them being located near the Kansas City markets, others near St. Louis and still others adjacent to Chicago.

AUTO VISITORS

Yesterday afternoon a good looking automobile rolled into the city bearing Mr. and Mrs. H. McCarty of Rock Island and his cousins, Mrs. George Englebach and Miss Hazel McCarty of Arenzville. Mr. McCarty recently brought his wife and his father, the latter 75 years old, to visit friends and relatives in Arenzville and yesterday motored to the city as above stated. The gentleman is a nephew of the Journal's esteemed friend, D. K. McCarty of Litterberry, and is a very pleasant person to meet. Mr. McCarty said the government is doing a tremendous amount of manufacturing in Rock Island. Where formerly there were 2500 men employed they now have three times that many and are erecting shops to use a great many more. He says in addition to arms and ammunition the government is making harness and a variety of articles for army use. Mr. McCarty is intensely patriotic and believes in standing by the government through thick and thin.

RETURN FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. C. Riggs Taylor recently accompanied Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Taylor to Springfield to visit their brother, W. P. Taylor, who is ill in a hospital there. Subsequently they drove on to the S. D. Taylor home in Champaign City. After a day there the Jacksonville travelers went to Mattoon to spend a day at the home of John H. Taylor and then returned to this city, making the trip home by train as they had gone to Champaign City in S. D. Taylor's car.

NEIGHBORHOOD PRAYER MEETINGS TODAY.

The following neighborhood prayer meetings will be held this morning at 9:30 o'clock:

Group A.

Rev. W. E. Spoons, superintendent.

District No. 1—Mrs. J. E. Stice, captain. No report.

District No. 2—Mrs. Frank Vieira, captain. Home of Mrs. Ray Sperry, East Independence avenue. Leader not reported.

District No. 3—Ernest Fernandes, captain. No report.

District No. 4—Miss Flossie Kellogg, captain. Home of Mrs. Carlisle, 896 East Independence avenue. Leader not reported.

Group B.

Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick, superintendent.

District No. 5—Mrs. W. H. Cocking, captain. Home of Miss Ida Lee, 603 North Church street. Leader, Mrs. W. H. Cocking.

District No. 6—Mrs. A. C. Kitner, captain. Home of Mrs. W. R. Huckleby, 846 West State street. Leader, Mrs. R. B. Wilson. Also home of Mrs. Henry Johnston, 152 Caldwell street. Leader, Mrs. J. Marshall Miller.

District No. 7—Mrs. John R. Davis, captain. Home of Mrs. H. P. Mohn, 286 Sandusky street. Leader, Mrs. Edgar Martin.

District No. 8—Mrs. J. T. Smith, captain. Home of Mrs. Harriet Mount, 814 North Church street. Leader, Mrs. Sarah Cocking.

District No. 9—Mrs. A. J. Ogram, captain. Home of Mrs. Hattie Henderson, 808 West Lafayette avenue. Leader, Mrs. R. A. Gates.

Group C.

Rev. W. W. Theobald, superintendent.

District No. 10—Mrs. T. H. Rapp, captain. Home of Mrs. R. W. Dods-worth, 610 South East street. Leader, Rev. W. R. Leslie.

District No. 11—Mrs. T. B. Reeve, captain. Home of Mrs. Douglas, 1032 South Main street. Leader not reported. Also home of Miss Mary Caldwell, 931 South East street. Leader, Miss Caldwell.

District No. 12—Mrs. J. W. Brown, captain. Home of Mrs. William Wilkinson, 122 Hardin avenue. Leader, Miss Cowgill.

District No. 13—Mrs. J. S. Findley, captain. Home of Mrs. James Clemens, 1300 South Clay avenue. Leader, Miss Mary Robertson.

District No. 14—Mrs. J. H. Reid, captain. Home of Mrs. E. H. Filson, 203 Greenwood avenue. This is a group meeting for the village of South Jacksonville and will be held at 3 p. m. instead of 9:30 a. m.

Miss Mary Robertson will be the leader and she earnestly desires to meet all the women of this district at this service.

Group D.

Rev. E. B. Landis, superintendent.

District No. 15—Mrs. Ollie Parker, captain. Home of Mrs. John R. Hill, 407 West College avenue. Leader, Rev. E. B. Landis.

District No. 16—Miss Nellie Cunningham, captain. Home of Mrs. De Motte, 242 Prairie street. Leader, Mrs. Robert Stephens.

District No. 17—Mrs. J. F. Berry, captain. Home of Mrs. H. B. Kamm, 1107 Mound avenue. Leader, Mrs. GoTra.

District No. 18—Mrs. William McCurley, captain. Home of Mrs. William Wood, 353 West College street. Leader, Mrs. Naylor.

District No. 19—Mrs. William Miller, captain. Home of Mrs. S. A. Fairbank, 905 Edge Hill road. Leader not reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dewees who have been visiting Morgan county relatives for the past three or four weeks, expect to leave Saturday for Riverside, Cal., where they will remain thru the winter and will probably purchase a home.

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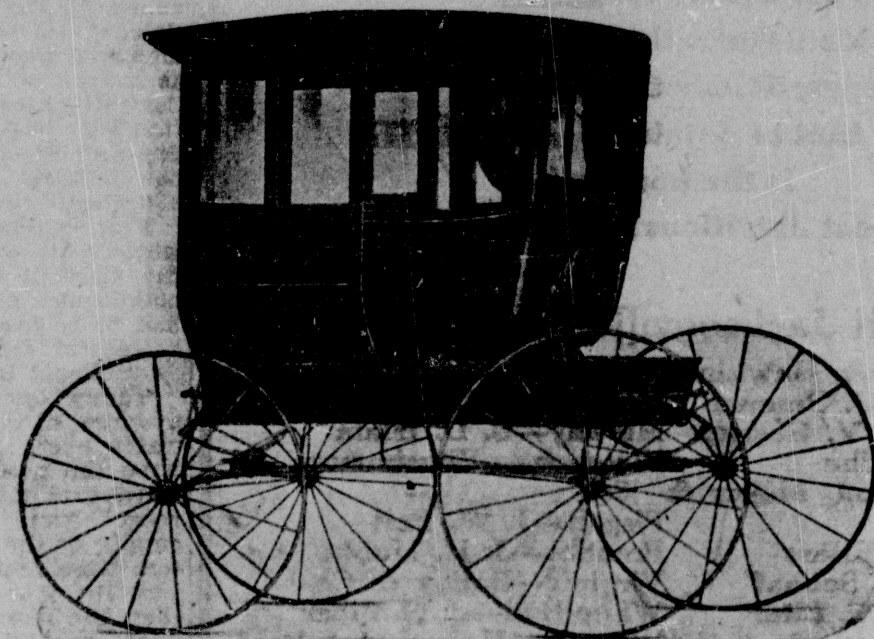
Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.—Adv.

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GREGORY FARM HOGS WIN STATE FAIR PRIZES

Animals Were Exhibited at Sedalia, Mo., and Omaha, Neb.—New Heating Main on Ross Street — Postmaster Wyatt to Visit Camp Taylor — Other News Notes.

White Hall, Oct. 9.—S. G. Sykes has purchased a residence lot at the corner of Main and Carlville streets with the view of erecting a new home thereon. The location is a most desirable one.

A. A. Lorton is planning to go to Vicksburg, Miss., next week to be present at the annual celebration on that historic battlefield.

Mrs. Lynn Vermillion and children have been here for the past two weeks from Baker, Ore., on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Martha Campbell.

The Gregory Farm herd of Berkshire hogs just returned from Sedalia, Mo., and Omaha, Neb., where they cleaned up almost completely in the state fair awards.

Mrs. Cloyd Bailey, who has been the guest of Mrs. Robert Shaw, was accompanied on her return to Hutchinson, Kan., by Miss Grace Nevius, who is visiting at Inman and Arlington, Kan., near Hutchinson.

Miss Olga Holcomb returned Monday evening from a visit in Chicago, and has proceeded to the new home of the Holcombs at Galesburg, to which city her mother, Mrs. O. Holcomb, went last week. Mr. Holcomb and son have been there for some time, and are now pretty well established in the photograph business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Haddock here down from Jacksonville one day last week.

A new heating main has been established along Ross street to overcome, if possible, the difficulty of the delivery of heat to patrons on the city heating system. For the past two years the service has been very deficient in extreme weather, and the situation had reached a stage where the patrons demanded a showing as to where they were to be left by the Central Illinois Public Service company.

Postmaster J. E. Wyatt is planning to make an auto trip to Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., next month to meet the Greene county boys now stationed there before their departure for other fields.

Miss Maude Bradburn of Nebo, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Bradburn, she having a vacation from her duties as cashier of the Miner State bank.

Miss Lula Sloan, of Manchester, was a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Kelly.

Along the line of safety, automobile drivers should again and again be cautioned as to the danger of railroad crossings. A great many drivers, far too many, will go ahead if a train is not headed closely for the crossing, and here is where something happens. It must be remembered that speeders and hand cars are liable along on any railroad track, and especially in the dark these cars are not discernable. Only a few days since an automobile came in contact with one of these railroad speeders in the vicinity of White Hall, the result being that both vehicles and both drivers suffered more or less for the unfortunate experience, and giving an added lesson that it is quite necessary to be on the lookout for various kinds of moving objects when crossing a railroad track.

Miss Nell Painter, private stenographer for Congressman Rainey, arrived home Sunday evening from Washington, D. C., and is spending the respite from congressional activity, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Painter.

E. J. Moore, of Murrayville, spent Sunday with J. E. Wyatt, and reports that Murrayville is straightening and otherwise improving the Burlington Way through that section.

Hal Nevius returned to St. Joseph, Mo., last week to resume his studies for a master's degree in veterinary surgery.

George Bell left for Magdalena, N. M., last week on account of the serious illness of George Gardiner.

DINNER TO DIPLOMATS.

New York, Oct. 9.—Thirteen countries will be represented at the banquet to be tendered the diplomatic representatives of America's allies at the Hotel Astor as a leading feature of the Southern Commercial Congress here next week. Ambassador Jusserand, dean of the foreign diplomatic corps in Washington, will speak for the allied diplomats, and among the other speakers will be William H. Taft, former President of the United States.

MEETING OF PURCHASING AGENTS.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 9.—Members of the National Association of Purchasing Agents met in annual convention here today for the discussion of business conditions and the interchange of business experiences. The sessions will continue over tomorrow and Thursday.

FIGHTS SCHEDULED FOR TONIGHT.

Johnny Dundee vs Patsy Cline, 10 rounds, at New York.
Billy Miske vs Kid Norfolk, 12 rounds at Boston.

IMPERIAL THEATER HAS SUCCESSFUL OPENING.

The Imperial theater under the management of Chase M. Harrison opened most successfully Monday evening, patrons being turned away at both performances. Manager Harrison showed a good picture and the singing, talking and dancing act of Dudley and Dudley met with great favor.

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SABBATH OBSERVANCE

Editor Journal:—

A cry has gone out, I see, for the better observance of Sunday, or the Sabbath day, as it is poetically called, in Jacksonville. And I should like to add my approval of the movement, if it is to be a movement, or something more than a mere utterance.

But a cry for the old order is generally a vain cry. Let us begin to observe Sunday by observing properly every day in the week. For those who have surplus leisure, or who do not have to fight the H. C. of L. with the same weapon in the way of salary that they received a few years ago, it would be a easy matter. The employing class as a rule observe Sunday in the orthodox way. They wonder why the working class seeks its pleasure on Sunday, instead of the house of God. It is easy to explain. Sunday is the only day the working class has to satisfy the imperative call of Nature for recreation, as well as rest. If they sometimes overdo it, they ought to be excused.

But if the other class had its way, the workers would be putting in twelve and sixteen hours a day, and beginning this life too before they were ten years of age. And to keep them from mischief or idling, they would be compelled to attend church on Sundays, as they are now compelled to describe circles in the park, instead of cutting across to save a few blessed minutes and weary steps on their way to meals and bed. They would get no job at all, unless they indicated their church preference on their application.

So let the people who are bent on having Sunday observed in a certain way begin by observing the week days, as the Lord probably meant they should be observed—by common respect for the golden rule. Many seem to think that the

Lord's will is confined within the covers of what is called the Holy Bible. As a matter of sense, the Bible is a mere preface to the Book of Life, which is the Lord's will, and the Lord's will, like the doings of Jesus—"if they should be written every one, I suppose that even the world itself could not contain the books that should be written."

But the World has several things of importance to offer upon the subject of Sabbath observance, which are not generally referred to by preachers in their sermons: to wit,

"The new moons and the sabbaths the calling of assemblies, I cannot away with it is iniquity"—Is. 1-13.

"One man esteemeth one day above another; another esteemeth every day alike. Let every man be persuaded in his own mind"—Rom. 14-5.

"Let no man therefore judge you in meat, or in drink, or in respect of a holy day, or of the new moon; or of the sabbath days"—Col. 2-16.

John Kearns.

CONVENTION OF THE CREAMERY MEN.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 9.—Milk, butter and cheese men from all over the country, composing the National Creamery and Buttermakers' Association, opened their annual convention in Milwaukee today. The increased cost of production and the consequent necessity for increased prices for all creamery products are expected to be the chief topics of discussion at the convention; the sessions of which will continue three days.

REUNION OF THE FLORIDA VETERANS

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 9.—The battle-scarred flags of the old Confederacy, flying side by side with the Stars and Stripes, were freely in evidence here today for the annual reunion of the Florida division of the United Confederate Veterans. Business sessions of the reunion

were held today, with Major General Alfred Ayer, of Ocala, presiding. Tomorrow there will be a street parade and various features of entertainment for the old soldiers and other visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Keating and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schoedsack returned from a visit with James O'Brien and family near Winchester.

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New York, N. Y.—It is conservatively estimated that over three million people annually in this country alone are taking Nuxated Iron. Such astonishing results have been reported from its use both by doctors and laymen, that a number have been asked to explain why they prescribe it so extensively, and why it apparently produces so much better results than were obtained from the old forms of inorganic iron. Extracts from some of the letters received are given below:

Dr. Ferdinand King, a New York Physician and Medical Author, says: "There can be no sturdy iron men without iron. Pallor means anaemia. Anaemia means iron deficiency. The skin of anaemic men and women is pale; the flesh flabby; the muscles lack tone; the brain fags and the memory fails; they often become weak, nervous, irritable, despondent and melancholy. When the iron goes from the blood of women, the roses go from their cheeks."

In the most common foods of America, the starches, sugars, table syrups, candies, polished rice, white bread, soda crackers, bigonits, macaroni, spaghetti, tapioca, sago, farina, degerminated cornmeal, no longer is iron to be found. The refining processes have removed the iron from Mother Earth from these impoverished foods, and silly methods of home cooking, by throwing down the wastepipe the water in which our vegetables are cooked is responsible for another grave iron loss.

Therefore, if you wish to get the most out of what you eat, you must supply the iron deficiency in your food by using some form of organic iron, just as you would use salt when your food has not enough salt.

Dr. James Louis Beyer, for 15 years Adjunct Professor in the New York Homeopathic Medical College, says: "As a physician I have always been opposed to prescribing advertised remedies, and for fifteen years, while Adjunct Professor in the New York Homeopathic Medical College, I taught my medical students that such remedies were generally valueless, but in the case of Nuxated Iron severe tests made on myself and numerous patients, have absolutely convinced me that it is a remedy of most extraordinary merit and one which should be generally prescribed by all physicians. Notwithstanding the fact that I am nearing my 80th birthday, a short course of Nuxated Iron has made me feel like a new man. Friends say, 'What have you been doing to yourself, you look so well and so full of life?' In my opinion there is nothing like organic iron—Nuxated Iron—of better of the old forms of metallic iron which often do more harm than good. To be absolutely sure that my patients get real organic iron and not some form of metallic variety, I always prescribe Nuxated Iron in the original packages."

Dr. E. Sauer, a Boston physician who has studied both in this country and in great European Medical Institutions, says: "As I have said a hundred times over organic iron is the greatest of all strength builders. If people would only take Nuxated Iron when they feel run-down, instead of dosing themselves with habit-forming drugs, stimulants and alcoholic beverages I am convinced that in this way they could ward off disease preventing it becoming organic in thousands of cases and thereby saving the lives of thousands who now die every year from pneumonia, grippe, kidney

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If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: see how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous, run-down people who were all the while doubting their strength and endurance and entirely rid themselves of all symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form. And this after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. But don't take the old forms of reduced iron, iron acetate or tincture of iron simply to save a few cents. The iron demanded by Mother Nature for the red coloring matter in the blood of her children is, alas! not that kind of iron. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated to do you any good. Many an athlete and prize-fighter has won the day simply because he knew the secret of great strength and endurance and filled his blood with iron before he went into the fray; while many another has gone down to inglorious defeat simply for the lack of iron.

Dr. T. Alphonse Wallace, a physician of many years experience in this country and who has been given many honorary titles in England, says: "I do not mince a matter of recommending advertised medicinal products, but I have

MEREDOSIA SCHOOLS IN NEW BUILDING

School Session Now Being Held in Second Floor Rooms—Other News Items of Interest.

Meredosia, Oct. 8.—School begun Monday on the second floor of the new building with Miss Gweneth Chenoweth, Miss Mabel Petersen and Miss Nina Roe in the grades and Prof. W. W. Jarman, supt., Miss Norman Perbix, prin., and Alvin Unland as asst. prin. The first floor and the remainder of the building will not be completed for a few weeks.

Mrs. Wm. Wilday and mother, Mrs. Ellen Giger were called Monday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Maddox near Virginia on account of the serious illness of their baby.

Dr. G. M. Smith accompanied by his father and mother of Milton, motored to this city Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Smith and daughter, who have been visiting at the Wilday home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Meier were Bluffs visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Pulse motored to Jacksonville Sunday.

Miss Alleane Baur returned Saturday to Newton, Ia., having visited

Rid of the Torment of Rheumatism

"Send me Foley Kidney Pills. I am badly done up with rheumatism and they are the only thing that help me." A. J. Walsh, Sneffels, Colo.

Rheumatism is stubborn as a mule—it hangs on like a leech—wears out your strength—wrecks you with pain—drags on your vitality—depresses your mind—affects your health!

Don't let it hang on you! Don't give up to it! Don't overlook Foley Kidney Pills! For they work directly on the kidneys—tone up and strengthen them to the perfect action that keeps uric acid out of the blood, and clears away the cause of rheumatism, lumbago and stiff, swollen, aching joints. Begin now, today, and soon you will again be active and free from pain. Mr. Walsh winds up his letter to us by saying: "Foley Kidney Pills are the best I have ever used, and I have tried several different remedies." Your druggist sells them.

City Drug Store,
J. A. Obermeyer

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Baur for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Andre of Jacksonville were the guests of Mrs. Jane Waldo and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sargent and Eugene Pate were Springfield visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Berger visited relatives near Beardstown Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Berger and son Myron of Arenzville.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rice and children, Mrs. Mary Brockhouse, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brockhouse and son, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Brockhouse motored to Beardstown Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brockhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hinners were the guests of relatives in Beardstown Sunday.

Mrs. Claude Meas and daughter, Margaret Pauline of Bluffs visited Miss Margaret Cody Sunday.

Mrs. Martin Driscoll and daughter Olivia have returned from a visit with relatives at Griggsville. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Martin Driscoll, Sr.

Mrs. Louisa Jackson of Bonner Springs, Kans., is visiting Mrs. Eller James.

Thomas McGinnis was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Earl Hyde departed Saturday for Griggsville for a visit with friends. Mr. Hyde left Friday for training at Camp Taylor, Ky.

Mrs. Nellie Summers and family have moved into the residence lately vacated by Charles Summers.

Mrs. Kate Ruswinkel living east of here, had the misfortune to lose a valuable milk cow.

Mrs. S. I. Harwood of St. Louis arrived Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hale.

Mrs. Ellen James and Mrs. Edward Fee visited friends in Mt. Sterling from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Ham are happy over the arrival of a daughter born into their home on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. H. James visited at the home of Dr. A. F. Streuter at Arenzville Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Unland and daughter Alleane returned Saturday from a visit in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Ellen Giger has returned home from an extended visit with her daughter near Virginia.

Mrs. Fannie Speelman of Chicago is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wright Ham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Meyer and daughter Pauline were called to the home of Mr. Meyer's parents Friday by the illness of his mother.

Miss Leta Schaefer went to Jacksonville where the following day she was operated on for the removal of her tonsils. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Henry Berger.

Miss Estella Pond and daughter Eva Beachamp went to Arenzville Sunday and had their tonsils removed at the home of Dr. A. F. Streuter.

Miss Estella Pond entertained a number of friends Saturday evening in honor of her eighteenth birthday.

Mrs. Edward Wackerle and daughter Marjorie, of Jacksonville, Miss Nelle Ritscher and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hall and two sons of Springfield were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Deppe and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ritscher.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nordsick and children and Charles Luhlart of near Beardstown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Meyer Sunday.

Rev. P. A. Soerensen, wife and two children of Bluffs were visitors here Monday.

Hal Lappin of Mt. Sterling was a business visitor at this place Monday.

WAR PROBLEMS FOR MINING ENGINEERS

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 8.—Inspection of the coal resources of Illinois, of the zinc and other mining operations in Missouri, and of the oil fields of Oklahoma, will be conducted during the annual meeting of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, which met here today with eminent members of the profession in attendance from all sections of the country. Methods will be discussed for conserving the present supply and increasing the output of the country's minerals during the war.

ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS CONFERENCE

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 8.—The fifth annual Mississippi Valley Conference of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis is to be entertained in the Twin Cities during the three days beginning today. Hundreds of delegates, including many prominent physicians, public health officials and social workers, were in attendance at the opening of the proceedings at the Radisson hotel today. The conference will give particular attention to problems of health arising from the war. Plans will be discussed for the organization of an educational campaign for the prevention of the spread of tuberculosis in American army camps at home and abroad.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Martha Capps Oliver, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Martha Capps Oliver, late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that we will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House, in Jacksonville, at the December Term, on the first Monday in December next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All parties indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated the 20th day of September, A. D. 1917.

Charles C. Capps,
Emma Capps,
Executors.

EX-GOV. YATES WILL RUN FOR CONGRESS

No Formal Announcement But His Friends are Sure He Will be in the 1918 Race.

Although former Gov. Richard Yates is not ready to announce that he will be a candidate for congressman-at-large in the 1918 primaries, friends close to him insist that he will run. This statement about the Yates candidacy is from the Chicago Tribune.

Former Gov. Richard Yates is an active candidate for one of the Republican nominations for congressman at large and his name will be on the primary ballots next fall. This was semi-officially announced to the big crowd of down-state politicians that had been attracted to Chicago by the world's series.

"The declaration was accompanied by the information that the Brundage organization in Cook county undoubtedly will support the former governor as its choice for the down-state representative of the two at large.

"Medill McCormick, one of the present congressmen at large, as all Republican politicians now understand, will be a candidate for United States senator in the 1918 primaries. His colleague, Congressman at Large William E. Mason, is expected to be a candidate for renomination with the full aid and consent of the city hall Republican faction.

"The indications now are that the Brundage forces will back a Chicago candidate for congressman at large in succession to Mr. McCormick, who will be supported jointly with former Gov. Yates."

STOLEN—\$25.00 REWARD

Between 8 and 10 o'clock Wednesday night one new "Paramount" rugged tread 30x3 1/2 clincher tire, contained in original wrapping. The A. H. T. A. will give a reward of \$25.00 for arrest and conviction of thief, or \$10 for return of tire. Address A. C. REID, president A. H. T. A., (both phones), or Chief of Police, Jacksonville, Ill.

WOMEN TO RUN STREET CARS.

New York, Oct. 9.—The possibility that war conditions may soon necessitate the employment of women to take the places of men as conductors and motormen on city and interurban railways is one of the important subjects slated for discussion by officials and leading members of the American Electric Railway Association now in session here. The conference, which opened at the Engineering Building today, takes the place of the association's annual convention, which was to have met at Atlantic City, but was called off on account of the war.

Leo Cooney has resumed his duties in Ayers National bank after a vacation which was pleasantly spent in Chicago, Detroit, Michigan, and Winchester.

FIGHT FOR YOUR LIFE

Duty Demands
Robust Health

Fight to get it and keep it

Fight—fight day in and day out to prevent being overtaken by ill and ills. Keep wrinkles from marring the cheek and the body from losing its youthful appearance and buoyancy. Fight when ill-health is coming with its pallor and pains, defects and declining powers. Fight to stay its course and drive it off.

But fight intelligently. Don't fight without weapons that can win the day for without the intelligent use of effective weapons the pallor spreads and weakness grows and a seemingly strong man or woman oftentimes becomes a prey to ill after all.

You will not find this class of persons in the hypoferrin ranks. No unhealthy, dull, draggy, droopy persons in that line. It is a hale, hearty, robust aggregation of quick-steppers who view life in a joyous frame of mind and are mentally and physically equal to any emergency. Hypoferrin stands for sound body and sound mind—it is the invigorating tonic of the times—powerful and unsurpassed as a health restorer, vitalizer and health preserver. Fight to hold the vigor of a sound body with hypoferrin or to stay the process of decay and restore health and strength—you win. This tonic of amazing, wonder-working properties has been approved by physicians as a restorer and safeguard of health. It is a thoroughly scientific preparation of the very elements necessary to tone up the stomach and nerves, to build strong, vital tissue, make pure blood, firm flesh and solid, active, tireless muscles.

Hypoferrin contains those mighty strength-producing agents, leucithin-and-iron peptonate, in a form best adapted to benefit the body and its organs. Its ingredients are absolutely necessary to the blood. In pine cases out of ten a run-down condition, sallow, pale complexion that "all in" feeling and frail bodies are due to lack of leucithin-and-iron peptonate in the system.

Your mental and physical strength and endurance depends upon a leucithin-and-iron peptonate. It is safe and sure and a boon to run-down, worn-out men and women. Hypoferrin means nature's own way of bringing color to the cheeks, strength to the body and keeping the vigor and buoyancy of youth. The powder and paint way of affecting beauty is not needed by hypoferrin women and girls. Their blood, filled with nature's leucithin stores, creates a condition that gives firmness and grace to the body and the glow of health to the cheeks.

Need of going through life sickly and always feeling miserable in this age of medical science. Join the hypoferrin ranks. It puts into you the springy snap and vigor you ought to have and puts life into your body and mind that inspires the confidence that you confront the world on an equal footing with anyone.

Hypoferrin may be had at your druggist's or direct from us for \$1.00 per package. It is worth the price. The Bantam Remedies Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.



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Clothes advice from a banker

A GOVERNOR of the Federal Reserve Bank recently said, "A Suit of clothes should do the work of two suits now."

Which means that quality in clothes is more important than ever. And quality is the watchword here; always has been.

You'll find Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes at this store; they're all-wool, skillfully tailored; "one such suit will do the work of two others," and you can't surpass them for style.

Our shirts, hats, neckwear, underwear—are all chosen for quality—in material, construction, and in style.

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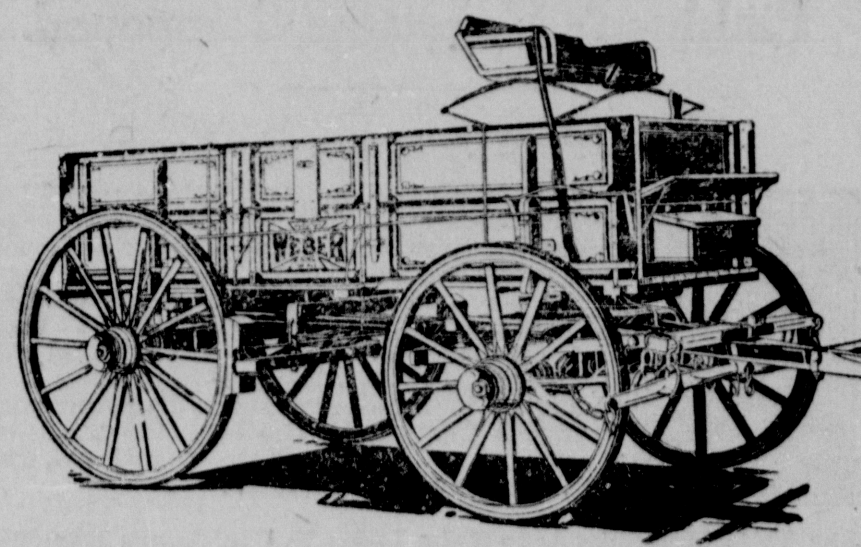
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EVERY woman in the city will be interested in our Mid-Season offering of new, clean, seasonable goods, and those taking advantage of it will profit handsomely in the savings they realize.

Special Attention is Directed to Our Coat and Suit Department

Which, with stocks replete with all the new Fall Styles offers an unusual opportunity to select the coat or suit or both and get exactly the style, color and fabric you favor most.

50 Women's Sweaters
Jumbo Weave
Oxford,
Maroon, Cardinal, Copen,
Kelly, Gold, white
Specially Priced, \$5.95

50 All Wool Misses' Sweaters
Heavy Weave
Cardinal, Copen, Rose
and Oxford
Specially Priced, \$2.45

New Coats and Suits

Arriving Daily
Go In This Sale
at
Popular
Prices



Twenty Women's All Wool Poplin and Bunella Cloth Suits
Navy, Black Brown and Taupe
Specially Priced, \$16.75

Twenty-five Women's All Wool Poplin Skirts
Green, Navy Brown and Black
Specially Priced, \$5.95

Twenty Women's All Wool Serge Dresses
Colors:
Navy and Green
Specially Priced, \$9.95

Twenty-five Women's Plush Coats
Extra Quality
Lined Throughout
Sizes: 36 to 44
Specially Priced, \$21.75

Women's Party Dresses
Taffeta, Silk and Net
Colors:
Peach, Lt. Blue and White
Specially Priced, \$13.75

One Hundred Women's White Voile Waists
Dainty New Styles
Sizes: 36 to 44
Specially Priced, 89c

One Hundred Women's Taffeta Silk Petticoats
Assorted Colors
Specially Priced, \$2.78

Women's Black Coney Muffs
New
Melon Shapes
Specially Priced, \$3.95

Twenty-five Women's Bath Robes
New Fall Styles
Assorted Colorings
Specially Priced, \$2.95

100 Women's Envelop Chemise
Flesh and White
Specially Priced, 95c

100 Children's Wool Knit Toques
Solid and Combination Colors
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Fifty Women's Voile and Organdy Waists
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Other Suits up to
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With stocks complete and size ranges such that permit of wide choice in the matter of selection, you really should pay our Coat and Suit Department a visit at your earliest convenience. -:-

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STYLE DISTINCTION

The undeniable something you notice in the attire of well-dressed women—the **something** you cannot exactly describe—yet you feel it is there, will be found in Sunshine "Garments of Quality."

You'll feel your appearance to be all you could wish in a coat or suit bearing the **Sunshine** label.

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Condensed Statement

As reported to the United States Government at the Close of Business
September 11, 1917

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,764,464.00	Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Overdrafts	13,741.82	Surplus	50,000.00
United States bonds	200,000.00	Undivided Profits	136,303.44
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00	Circulating Notes	200,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	592,661.81	Deposits	3,137,412.11
Furniture and Fixtures	11,797.48		
Real Estate	500.00		
CASH RESOURCES			
Cash and due from			
National and			
other banks	\$983,050.44		
Due from Federal			
Reserve Bank	\$150,000.00		
	1,133,050.44		
	\$3,723,715.55		\$3,723,715.55

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY POSTAL SAVINGS DEPOSITORY
MEMBERS OF FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

WOMEN'S WAR WORK.

The Liberty Loan, The Hoover Pledge Card, Registration of Women. Quite a program for one month! Yet these are the three big drives planned by the Women's Committee Council of National Defense, Illinois Division. Can we boost the Liberty Loan; give every woman in Morgan County an opportunity to sign the Hoover Pledge Card, and register every woman in the county? Can it be done? Of course it can. Every woman will help to make it possible. Morgan County has always held a place of leadership among her sister counties, and will not be found wanting now. The Women of Illinois will buy Liberty Bonds. "Liberty cannot exist with the bond of Liberty. If it

HAVE A CLEAR BRAIN

Clear up your brain. Put yourself in condition to do proper thinking and clear thinking. Thinking that is more to the point and thinking that will help you to work better and accomplish greater results. It is a well known fact that the liver has much to do with your brain power. If you are feeling sluggish, stupid and more or less unambitious, by all means take our

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dies you will have shackles, if it lives, you will have shekels. Bond of bondage—shackles or shekels?" As to the Hoover Card, Morgan county knows that wheat and meat must go to France in great quantities; if a man fights he must eat. We are told that corn will not serve the allies as food; they have never used it and have no mills to grind it. If it is ground before shipping there would be small chance of its reaching the other side unspoiled, but we are used to corn meal and like it. Why ask the French in all their distress and agony to try to eat an unaccustomed food when we can so easily spare what they want? Mr. Hoover wants us to conserve our wheat and meat supply. He calls this appeal to the American people an "Unprecedented adventure in democracy". Every woman in Morgan County will want to sign the Hoover Pledge. American homes will not be less patriotic than hotels and dining cars.

As to the third big drive for registration—let that deserves a column of its own. Watch for it! Dr. Josephine Milligan was invited to accompany the Red Cross committee to attend the meeting of the Concord unit Monday evening. She made a brief address, explaining the aims and purposes of the Women's Committee, Council of National Defense.

Jack Frost has no use for the Boy Scouts, he was cheated out of several baskets full of fine vegetables by the energetic work of these patriotic boys on Monday afternoon. Passant and Our Savior's Hospitals were the richer in consequence.

TWO HUNDRED ESPECIALLY GOOD LOOKING HATS, INCLUDING SOME OF THE CELEBRATED HIGHLAND HATS, ARE ON SALE THIS WEEK AT VERY POPULAR PRICES. THE NEWEST SHAPES AND TRIMMINGS ARE HERE.
F. J. WADDELL & CO.

CORN EXHIBIT

An exhibit of corn has been started in the window of the Farmers State Bank & Trust Co. Ears are on exhibition raised by Edward Joy, H. J. Rice, J. E. Stice and J. E. Shibe, who is in charge of the farm of Dr. J. W. Halgrove. The largest ears of yellow corn were sent in by George and Frank Stice. One of these ears weigh two pounds and shows 1488 grains.

ENLISTED IN REGULAR ARMY.

Sergeant Stirling, local U. S. army recruiting officer at the post office building, yesterday signed up another man for the regular army. The latest applicant was John Organst, of Minneapolis, Minn. Organst enlisted in the infantry and left yesterday afternoon via the Alton for Jefferson Barracks.

McDougall, photographer, over Coover and Shreve, E. Side Sq.

WILL ATTEND REUNION

L. Goheen left yesterday for Quincy to visit the soldiers' home. He is one of the committee appointed by Commander Bentley of state G. A. R. for soldiers' home visitation. Thursday Mr. Goheen will be in Lebanon to attend a reunion of his regiment, the 117th Illinois, which will be held at McKendree college.

A TEXAS WONDER

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame back, rheumatism and irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for sworn testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

CHANGES TO BE MADE AT QUINCY SOLDIERS' HOME

Present Population Makes Certain Regulations Necessary in Order to Avoid Overcrowding—Visitors No Longer to be Entertained at Home

The Quincy Journal says that the soldiers' home in Quincy now has a population of 1,830 and in order to avoid overcrowding persons worth \$5,000 or more will not be admitted. In the past it has been the rule to admit some Spanish war veterans and their wives but hereafter only wives of Civil war veterans will be received. In addition the rule has been established that each able-bodied man resident at the home under 62 years of age must work at least two days per week. The Quincy paper goes on with the following statement:

On recommendation of the state board of public welfare, a number of changes will be made at the Home. The library building will be converted into a cottage. It will accommodate from twenty five to thirty men on the first floor and fourteen couples on the second. The library will be moved to the first floor of the headquarters building, and those quartered in the new home will be fed in the dining room in the annex. The two guest rooms in the headquarters building are to be occupied by employees or soldiers, and officers who have had two rooms will have to get along with one, while officers and employees rooming alone will have to double up. The linen will be moved to large closets and the room occupied. The room formerly occupied by Father Lee will quarter soldier officers. No transfers from other state or national homes will be accepted unless there is urgent and pressing reason. Owing to the crowded conditions, visitors, friends, relatives and those coming to attend funerals will no longer be entertained at the Home and no meals are to be served to them.

FRANKLIN

The Home Makers Circle of Franklin met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. William E. Douglas. It was the annual election of officers and the following were chosen:

President—Mrs. I. L. Sears.
Vice president—Mrs. William Rees.
Secretary—Mrs. Arthur Van Winkle.

Assistant secretary—Mrs. Nelson Jerman.
Treasurer—Miss Rhoda Scott.
Press reporter—Mrs. M. B. Keplinger.

The members answered to roll call with quotations from great poets and gave a brief biography of poet. There was a large attendance of members and Mrs. Oliver Criswell of Trinidad, Colo., was a visitor.

Owing to the election and a press of other business two papers, one by Mrs. Newton Woods on "Southern Writers," and one by Mrs. W. J. Wyatt on "Food and Morality," which were to have been presented were postponed to a future meeting. During the social hour that followed the business session the hostess served dainty refreshments. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Edward Evans, Tuesday, Oct. 23.

A daughter was born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lukeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Criswell and children of Trinidad, Colo., are visiting Mr. Criswell's mother and other relatives.

The styles and prices of LADIES' FURS shown by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store are most attractive.

WILL CONFER WORK

At a meeting of Minnontoka Council held Tuesday evening it was decided to confer the degrees of the order at the regular meeting to be held Tuesday Oct. 23. Past Pochontas night also will be observed on that occasion when the council work will be in charge of Past Pochontas.

REVIVAL SERVICES ARE NOW UNDER WAY

Evangelist Hanley and Fred Fisher, Song Leader, Arrived Tuesday—Dr. Hanley Outlines Ideals.

The opening meeting of the union revival with Dr. Hanley in the pulpit was held Tuesday night at Grace church. Dr. Hanley arrived on the afternoon train as did his assistant, Fred Fisher, who is to have charge of the music during the revival services. The meeting last night was rather introductory in character in that the evangelist made reference to some general lines of the campaign that he expects to wage here for righteousness.

After several songs Dr. Morey made the opening prayer and the scripture lesson was read by Dr. F. M. Rule. Prayer was also offered by Rev. Mr. Beadles, chaplain of the soldiers' home in Quincy. The evangelist was introduced by Rev. R. B. Wilson, who mentioned that the ministers in selecting an evangelist as leader in this special series of meetings wanted a man who above all else would exalt Christ in his exhortation, and that after a full investigation they had determined to secure Dr. Hanley.

Evangelist Studied Law.
The evangelist, who originally prepared himself for a lawyer, referred to that fact in the course of his remarks and said further that he did not pretend to know much about theology. He asked his auditors to reserve any criticism of manner or method which they might feel like making at least until after the services next Sunday.

The theme of his address was "The Man Who Built on Sand." The evangelist said that he had heard four great ministers preach about the man who built his house upon a rock but that he felt that those who build upon the sand are those who are in the greatest need. He commented upon the fact that there are vast numbers of church members whose activities end with membership and who really do very little of the work that the church should be doing. He said that in the coming meetings those who heard him would be sure to hear nothing of which they would be ashamed, that there would be no criticism of pastors or churches, and that above all it would be his hope to exalt Christ "and Him crucified."

Dr. Hanley talks with a natural forcefulness and eloquence and those who heard him last night were fully persuaded that a strong man has been secured for leadership in this special series of meetings in which various churches are co-operating.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
Republican Candidate, Fred J. Schaffel, election Nov. 6.

JOHN MINTER FIFTY YEARS AN ODD FELLOW

Long Time Resident of City Given a Veteran's Jewel at Meeting of Illini Lodge Monday Night

John Minter was the recipient of a veteran's jewel at the regular meeting of Illini Lodge No. 4 I. O. O. F. held Tuesday evening. Mr. Minter joined the order in 1867 and for fifty years has given the order the best that was in him. Today he is just as enthusiastic as he was in the first year of his membership and his service has been of much value thru the years.

During the regular session Tuesday evening Noble Grand Allen called attention to Mr. Minter's completion of fifty years membership in Odd Fellowship and called upon J. Marshall Miller to present Mr. Minter with the veteran's jewel. This Mr. Miller did in well chosen words and Mr. Minter responded fittingly.

The veteran's jewel is a handsome piece of work. It is of gold with the figures "Fifty" on the face set in diamonds. On the back is the dates 1867-1917 and the number of the jewel issued, which is 275. This means that 275 jewels have been issued to Illinois Odd Fellows who have been members for fifty years. Illini lodge has a most creditable record in this respect, for of the number at least ten have come to members of the lodge.

Following the regular business Frank McDougall, who recently returned from Monrovia, Calif., called the degree staff together and gave them a brief rehearsal. Mr. McDougall was captain of the staff before going to California. Since returning he has announced intention of again bringing Illini's degree team up to its former standard.

BRADLEY SWEATERS at most REASONABLE PRICES.
FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

WITH THE SICK

O. H. Kuechler is a patient at Our Savior's hospital where he underwent an operation yesterday. Last night Mr. Kuechler's condition was reported as satisfactory. His brother-in-law, Dr. Frank P. Norbury, came to the city yesterday to be present during the operation.

FORTY HEAD JERSEYS
At TALLULA, ILLINOIS
On C. & A.

Tuesday, Oct. 16, 1917
"THE WALNUTS"
C. C. Judy's Farm
will sell both registered and high-grade cattle and
25 Child-Broke Shetland Ponies
Both sexes, different ages and colors.
Jersey herd headed by Majesty's Poet, for six years in service in famous Baltimore Herd, Baltimore, N. C. Cattle are of leading strains. Lots of Noble of Oaklands breeding.
J. V. COTTA, Sale Manager
Crawfordsville, Ind.
Col. W. E. North, Auctioneer,
Greenville, O.

PROBATE COURT

In the estate of J. V. Richardson, the widow's relinquishment and selection was approved and the petition was granted for the public sale of personal property.

In the estate of Joseph Henderson a petition for letters of administration was allowed and letters ordered to issue to B. F. and W. W. Henderson and bond fixed in the sum of \$1,200.

In the matter of the conservatorship of Emanuel Ward, petition for letters of conservatorship was allowed and letters will issue to J. D. Ornellas with bond fixed in the sum of \$2,000.

In the estate of H. C. Luken, petition was granted for the adjustment of claims and a petition was also granted for the admission of appraisal bill.

In the conservatorship of Martha E. Metcalf, letters were issued to N. W. Reid and bond fixed in the sum of \$1,200.

FORMER RESIDENT LOSES PROPERTY BY FIRE

Amos White a former resident of Jacksonville recently lost clothing and other property valued at more than \$100 in a fire of unknown origin in his home at 102½ East Washington street, Springfield. His daughter Miss Hazel White in an effort to save her clothing entered the premises and was rescued with difficulty.

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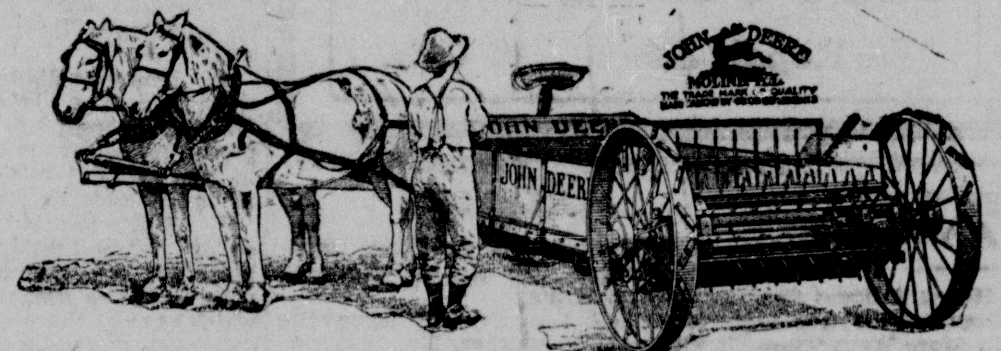
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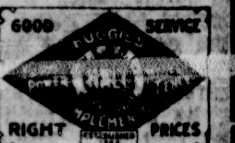
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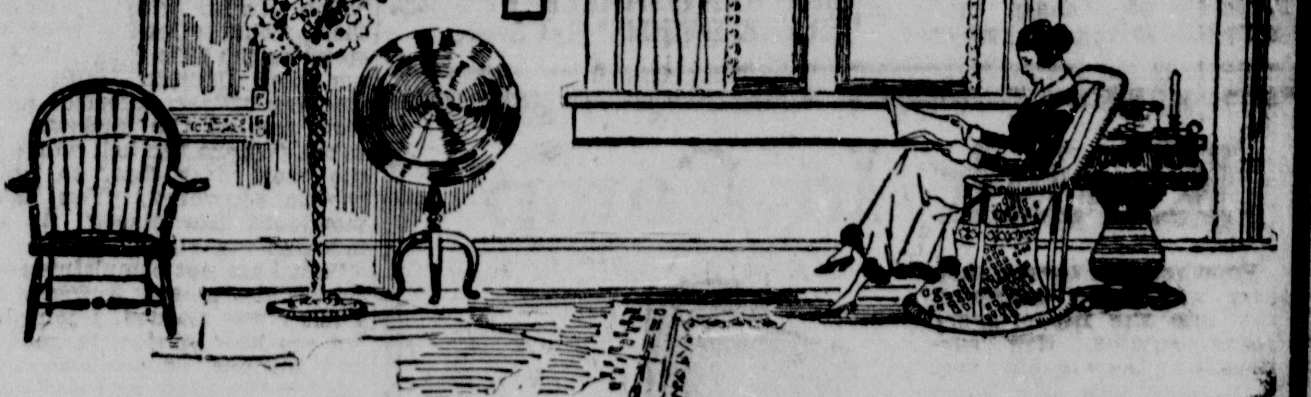


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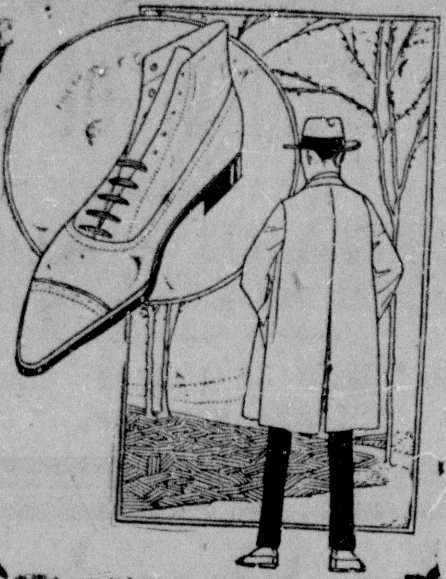
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GREAT SINGER WANTS TO BE A WAR NURSE

Mme. Schumann-Heink Believes She Can Aid the Wounded Soldiers in the Hospitals in More Ways Than One.

A dispatch from Camp Funston, Kas., shows what a loyal heart Mme. Schumann-Heink has and how great is her desire to be of real service to American soldiers.

Some day in the future, an American soldier may be taken to a base hospital in France and hear a song from one of the sweetest voices in the world. Mme. Schumann-Heink desires to be a nurse and do her part in the great world war, an active part that will keep her busy from morning until night.

"Who knows?" she said today. "But maybe I might get to nurse one of my boys. They will all be there, and why shouldn't their mother be there to look after them? I can take care of boys, I tell you. I know what boys like. They always are after fur, yes, no matter if they lose their heads, and I, Schumann-Heink, can make them laugh. I know."

"They like good things to eat, cakes and pies and cigarettes, and someone to hold their hands and make them laugh. Then they forget all about being hurt, and that is better than medicine. I give money to all the soldiers, and I sing to them—but in the hospitals, where they are sick and dying, there is where they need me. And maybe, if they will take me, I will go."

"I don't care to put on trousers and carry a gun, like lots of these women. I would like to help the boys and look after them. My sons can tell you Schumann-Heink is a good mother."

N. Beedle of Quincy made a business trip to the city yesterday.

ALEXANDER

Miss Mary Moats and Miss Catherine Morgan are visiting relatives in Messitt, Kans.

Mrs. Nel Lazenby of Lynville is visiting her mother, Mrs. Charles Hagan of Alexander.

Miss Mary Wagner and niece, Amelia Mueller have returned from a visit with Miss Wagner's brother, George Wagner in Springfield.

A. J. Johnson and Joseph Bridgeman have returned from the Kansas City, Mo., markets bringing with them four car loads of cattle which they purchased for feeding purposes.

Mrs. J. A. Betcher and daughter, Helena have arrived from Lewiston, Me., and are at the parsonage at Island Grove. Rev. Betcher has been in charge of Island Grove church for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ruble and John Ryman were Jacksonville visitors Tuesday.

C. M. Strawn was a Tuesday business visitor in Springfield. Jerry Tankersly who has been a patient at Passavant hospital for several weeks has returned to his home here.

Wanted—Intelligent boy, 16 years of age, to work nights. Apply at Journal office after 6 p. m.

WILL RETURN TO FT. RILEY. William R. Pinkerton, who has been in Jacksonville for the past thirty days on sick leave, expects to leave tomorrow for Fort Riley, Kans., to rejoin the 21st. Cavalry of which organization he is a member. He is a member of the cavalry band in that regiment.

BRADLEY SWEATERS at most REASONABLE PRICES. FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

RULES FOR SENDING XMAS MAIL TO SOLDIERS

Postoffice Department Issues Bulletin Giving Suggestions as to Sending of Parcels to Soldiers Abroad—Co-operation of Public Essential

In the last daily bulletin of the postoffice department received by Postmaster Dunlap at the Jacksonville office special attention is given to the question of Christmas mail for soldiers abroad. A special appeal is made to the public to send Christmas gifts intended for delivery in France not later than Nov. 15 and to mark all packages very plainly. The special notice in this publication, signed by the postmaster general, secretary of war and secretary of the navy, is in language as follows:

To the Public: The time is approaching to give thought to bringing Christmas cheer to the American soldiers and sailors abroad.

Arrangements have been perfected whereby the Christmas mail to the American expeditionary forces in Europe is to be delivered by Christmas morning. Without the fullest cooperation on the part of the public it will be impossible to accomplish this result.

The three essential respects in which the public can aid in assuring a happy Christmas at the front are: mail early, address intelligently, and pack securely. For this reason it is urgently requested that all persons having Christmas mail for the soldiers and sailors and the civilian units attached to the army in Europe observe closely the following directions:

1. Mails to reach the soldiers in France by Christmas morning must be posted not later than November 15.

2. Every package must bear conspicuously the words "Christmas Mail," the complete address of the person for whom it is intended, and in the upper left-hand corner, the name and address of the sender.

3. Every parcel must be so packed and wrapped as to admit of easy inspection by the postmaster. No parcel will be dispatched to France which has not the postmaster's certificate that it contains no prohibited articles.

BUYS OLDSMOBILE

After owning four different cars and trying many others J. Frank Strawn buys the car of world's record of non-stop run, Oldsmobile Light Six from J. E. Stice, Dealer, 335 East Court street.

SOLDIER TELLS OF TRAINING CAMP WORK

Men at Presidio are Put Thru Strenuous Drill According to Theodore Church.

In a recent issue of the Bloomington Pantagraph appears an interesting letter from Theodore (Rookie) Church, who is now at the Presidio at San Francisco receiving instructions in modern trench warfare. Mr. Church and his family are relatives of Mrs. Mary McPherson of East College avenue, this city. Young Church graduated from the Wesleyan law school at Bloomington in 1905 and for the past four years has been practicing law in San Francisco. In the course of his letter describing the active training work Mr. Church wrote as follows:

"Physical work is not all we do, either. We have text books ranging from infantry drill regulations all the way up to court martial manuals, and we study them, too. I have never realized what a long time it is from 5:30 a. m. to 12:00 noon. And eat—say, you should see us. And they feel us well, too. Don't know how good we will fare next week, though, for trench digging is the assignment which carries with it sleeping in them. The following week we will spend on the rifle range. This morning when Captain Lentz, our commanding officer, informed us of this plan, one of the students jokingly asked, 'Where the hell will we spend the week after that,' to which the captain answered, 'You have just mentioned the place.' So I guess Sherman was right."

"But I am not complaining—I considered the matter seriously and, as I felt I was needed, I joined. I do not see how a man in good health and without dependents can help but feel the same as I do."

Consult the ladies in your ward about making Christmas bags for the soldiers.

CIVIC LEAGUE EARNEST IN PATRIOTIC WORK.

The Woman's Civic league has been actively engaged in Red Cross work and a recent report made indicates this clearly. The league made a cash donation of \$10 to the Red Cross and expended \$39.45 for the purchase of yarn to knit garments for soldiers. As a result of this purchase the following useful articles have been knitted: 12 sweaters, 6 helmets, 3 scarfs, 9 pairs of wristlets, 1 wash cloth, 15 pairs of socks and work is now in progress for 16 other pieces which will be delivered at a later date. All of the work has been under the direction of Mrs. Kate Hollinger, who is treasurer of the league.

INTERSTATE TRAVELERS.

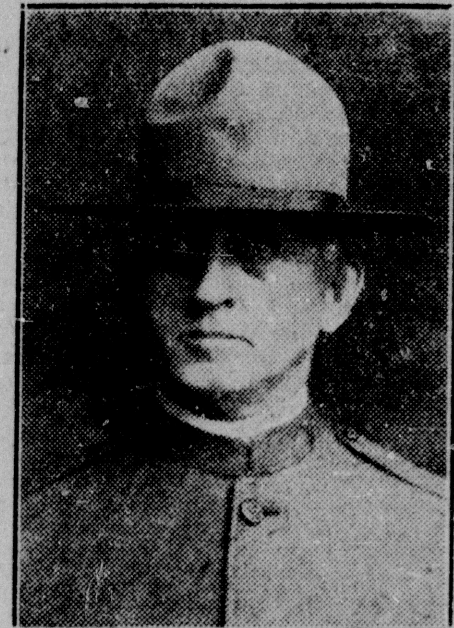
Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Best, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jackson, all of Vandalla, Missouri, arrived in the city in a Dodge car on their way to New York. They were well prepared for traveling, but were not camping enroute. They put up at the Douglas hotel and early in the morning were on their way toward the rising sun.

GAS MASK LESSONS BEGIN AT CAMP DODGE

Capt. H. C. Woltman is Giving Instructions to Both Officers and Men—Took Special Course of Study At Ft. Sill.

The Des Moines Capital of recent date contains a story of the "gas mask" lessons which are to begin at the army cantonment at Ft. Dodge under the direction of Capt. H. C. Woltman of Jacksonville. As previously mentioned, Capt. Woltman was sent from Ft. Riley, Kan., a few weeks ago to Ft. Sill, Okla., to take special training in the use of the gas mask. He was subsequently designated as instructor and the article in the Des Moines paper tells of the lessons which have been outlined. The article mentioned is as follows:

"All right, professor, turn on the gas." That's what soldiers at Camp Dodge will be saying before long. But they won't say it until their gas masks are adjusted to prevent them from inhaling that choking, chlorine gas. For although these encounters with poisonous gas will be just part



Capt. H. C. Woltman.
(Photo by Spiehl)

of the day's work with the soldiers, they're going to take the same precautions that they would on a battlefield, preparatory to a gas attack.

Capt. H. C. Woltman, gas expert, has come to Camp Dodge from Ft. Sill, Okla., to teach soldiers how to use gas masks, and to counteract and prepare for gas attacks. His course will be very thorough and comprehensive and when it's finished, poisonous gases will be an open book to Camp Dodge men.

Captain Woltman will teach all officers from captains to the major general himself, and they in turn will instruct the junior officers and privates.

It's going to be a realistic course, too.

Trench Instructions
The instructor favors the construction of a trench and a dug-out in which the men could receive their training. According to the captain, gas could be introduced, and the men given very practical training. He will show them how to detect the approach of a gas attack; will train them in calmly adjusting the gas mask to prevent them from inhaling the poison, and will show them how to clear a trench and dugout of gas following an attack.

They are cleared of poison the captain says, by building fires to create a draft, and then by scooping out the gas with shovels. It doesn't seem possible, does it?

"It is a very simple matter to scoop out the gas," Captain Woltman says. "It is heavier than air, but fires drive it to the opening of the trench or pit. Then it easily can be scooped out."

The main purpose of the training at Camp Dodge, the instructor says, will be to cause the men to become accustomed to gas and its symptoms. In that way, it will be second nature for them to adjust their masks and prepare for gas attacks, when they encounter them in actual warfare.

"Many casualties have resulted from fright and excitement during an attack," he says. "Masks have been put on carelessly or improperly, and death has resulted. It is to prevent such a situation that we are to have these classes at Camp Dodge."

Masks Give Confidence
It is expected that preliminary instructions will be given in a "gas house," an air-tight structure into which gas may be introduced. Men will be passed thru this house when it contains a small amount of gas, that they may learn to know the immediate effects of a gas attack.

Gases which affect the eyes and throats will be used. Following this "initiation" soldiers will be given masks, and left in the house while a large amount of gas is introduced. In this way, Captain Woltman says, they will learn to repose confidence in their masks.

"The soldier of today must be a specialist," says the captain. "Fighting today isn't like it was in the dark ages. It's a scientific business, and soldiers must know all branches of it."

And Captain Woltman is going to help them learn.

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FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for William Witherbee, who died suddenly at his home in Waverly, will be held from New Hope church south of Waverly this morning at 11 o'clock in charge of the Rev. W. J. Campbell, pastor of Waverly Baptist church. Burial will be in New Hope cemetery.



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MYERS BROTHERS.

LIBRARY BOARD IN MONTHLY SESSION

Report on Book and Magazine War Fund Shows \$706 Received—Contract for Magazines Awarded to Miss Cunningham.

The regular monthly meeting of the Jacksonville Library board was held Tuesday afternoon at the library. In the absence of Dr. C. E. Black, president of the board and W. D. Poying, secretary, Rev. W. E. Spooner acted as chairman of the meeting and the librarian, Miss Barrette, as secretary. The librarian's report for the past month showed an average circulation record for the month of September. However the force at the public library was kept very busy during the month getting the new books ready for the grade schools.

Rev. Mr. Spooner reported that approximately \$700 had been raised for the library war fund. Miss Rebecca Mann, the new children's librarian and Miss Helen Butler, have been added to the staff and have assumed their duties during the past month. The secretary was instructed to advertise for coal bins for the coming year. The bids for supplying the magazines to the library for 1917-18 were opened. The bids were as follows:

Miss M. E. Cunningham \$180.50.
Miss Louise Hamilton \$183.00.
Mrs. Lillian I. Danskin \$183.50.
Miss Laura Hess \$196.15.

Miss Cunningham, presenting the lowest bid, was awarded the contract for furnishing the magazines for the coming year.

The magazines which Miss Cunningham will furnish are as follows:

American Boy, American City, American Journal of Public Health, American Journal of Sociology, American Library Association Book List, American Magazine, Annals of American Academy of Political and Social Science, Architectural Record, Art World, Atlantic, Birdlore, Bookman, Catholic World, Century, Colliers, Country Life, Current Hist. magazine of the New York Times, Current Opinion, Delineator, Dial, Education, Educational Review, Electrical World, Elementary School Journal, Everybody's, Fortnightly, Forum, Garden Magazine, Good Housekeeping, Harper, House Beautiful, Illustrated World, Independent, Industrial Management, International Socialist Review, International Studio, Journal of Home Economics, Journal of Political Economy, Ladies Home Journal, Library Journal, Life, Literary Digest, Little Folks, Manual Training Magazine, Mentor, Missionary Review of the World, Musician, Nation, National Geographic Magazine, New Republic, New York Sunday Times, Nineteenth Century, North American, Outlook, Photo-miniature, Poetry, Popular Mechanics, Public Libraries, Review of Reviews, School Arts magazine, Saint Nicholas, School Review, Scientific American, Scientific

American Supplement, Scientific Monthly, Scribner, Sunday School Times, Survey, System, Touchstone, Unpopular Review, Vogue, Woman's Home Companion, World's Work, Youth's Companion.

TO BUY NEW GOODS
J. HERMAN LEFT LAST EVENING FOR CHICAGO WHERE HE WENT TO MEET A LARGE NUMBER OF EASTERN FIRMS WHO HAD BROUGHT TO THE GREAT CITY AN EXCEPTIONALLY CHOICE LINE OF COATS, SUITS, FURS AND SEASONABLE GOODS AND HIS PURCHASES WILL BEGIN ARRIVING THURSDAY.

RACIAL CENSUS IN CANADA

(Christian Science Monitor.)
Ottawa, Ont. — Some interesting particulars of racial percentages in the three prairie provinces of the Dominion census branch. The return show that of the population reported on that date persons of British origin constituted 57.74 per cent in Manitoba, 54.6 per cent in Saskatchewan and 60.18 per cent in Alberta. The French race possessed 6.1 per cent of the population of Manitoba and about 5 per cent of that of Saskatchewan and Alberta. Persons of German origin represented 4.67 per cent of the population of Manitoba, 11.9 per cent of Saskatchewan and 6.85 per cent of Alberta. Austro-Hungarians were 8.18 per cent of the population of Manitoba, 9.10 per cent in Saskatchewan and 6.37 per cent in Alberta. The numbers of Bulgarians and Turks are too small to be a factor in any of the provinces.

Jacksonville Lodge No. 570, A. F. & A. M., will hold a special meeting tonight at 7 o'clock. Visiting brothers

Welcome.
C. S. Richards, W. M.
E. L. Kinney, Sec'y.

WAYNE NELSON WITH OKLAHOMA COMPANY

Wayne Nelson of this city is now one of the traveling representatives of the Concord Oil company of Oklahoma City, Okla. Mr. Nelson has Morgan county and covers his territory in an automobile, the company furnishing all of its men with cars. The company has 18,000 acres of oil lands in Oklahoma.

SOROSIS TO MEET

Sorosis will hold the first meeting of the fall season next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. F. Carriel on West College avenue.

ALEX MUDD DEAD AT WINCHESTER HOME

Deceased in Ill Health for Four Years—Masons go to Grand Lodge—News Notes.

Winchester, Ill., October 9.—Herman Mudd met with a painful accident Tuesday morning when starting the fire at the bakery with coal oil, the fire burst out in his face, severely burning him. His injuries, however, proved not of a serious nature and he hopes to resume his work at the store within a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Kennedy and son Donald left for their home in St. Louis Tuesday after visiting in Winchester for several days.

F. C. Clark of Manchester was a business visitor in Winchester Tuesday.

W. L. Bagshaw and R. I. Riggs left Monday night for Chicago where they will attend sessions of the Grand Lodge of Masons which are being held there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Smith were visitors in St. Louis Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. S. W. Puffer of Rochester, New York is visiting at the home of Dr. James Miner and daughter Miss Bertha. Mrs. Puffer was a former resident of Winchester but has not paid a visit here for twenty-six years.

Alex Mudd, aged 55 years, passed away at the home of his nephew, Irwin Mudd, Tuesday morning at six o'clock. Mr. Mudd had suffered poor health for four years but had been feeling somewhat improved the last few weeks and his death was unexpected. He was one of a large family but all have preceded him in death with the exception of one brother, John Mudd, of Winchester. He had lived in Scott county all his life and for many years followed the occupation of farmer. He was rightly considered one of the upright and respected citizens of the community. The funeral will be held at the residence of Irwin Mudd, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Elder J. H. Coats will have charge of the service. Interment will be made at Kincaid cemetery.

F. S. Pank has returned from a business trip to Chicago. Dr. George Straight and G. W. Hogan made a trip to Bluffs Tuesday on official business. They are members of the Scott county extension board.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

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Joseph Gomez, trustee, to William Nunes estate, pt. lot 22, School Commissioners' sub-division of 16-15-10, \$1.

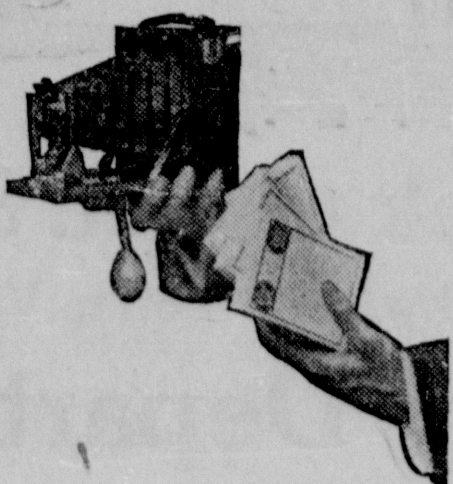
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